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**FRESH PROGRESS MADE
BY FRENCH FORCES**Gains to North of Arras; Re-
port From Field-Mar-
shal FrenchParis, June 9.—The following official
communication was issued by the war
office last night:"In the region of Notre Dame de
Lorette there has been a very spirited
artillery engagement to-day. Our in-
fantry has consolidated everywhere
the positions previously gained, and
has made new advances.""At Neuville St. Vaast we have car-
ried the entire group of houses to the
west of the village; also additional
houses in the principal street north of
this group.""In 'The Labyrinth' our troops re-
pulsed a violent counter-attack and
slightly increased their progress.""To the south of Hebuterne we have
maintained the gains of yesterday and
last night, notwithstanding a strong
attack delivered by two German bat-
talions which were brought up hastily
in automobiles from the region to the
east of Arras. Following this we
continued our progress to the east on
a front of about 1,200 metres.""The enemy violently bombarded the
trenches which we took from him yes-
terday to the north of the Aisne near
Moulinsous-Toutvent. This bombard-
ment, to which our artillery vehemently
responded, was not followed by a
counter-attack."London, June 9.—Field-Marshal Sir
John French, in a report on the fighting
along the Western line, says:"The situation on our front has not
changed since the last communication
of June 4. There has been less activity
on the part of the artillery.""On the sixth, in front of Plogsteert
wood, we exploded a mine under the
German trenches, destroying 20 yards
of the parapet.""We have brought down two German
aeroplanes, one opposite our right by
gunfire, and the other in the neighbor-
hood of Ypres as the result of an en-
gagement in the air with one of our
aeroplanes."

Havre, France, June 9.—The follow-

ing Belgian official statement, under
date of June 7, has been issued:
"During the night of June 6-7 there
was intermittent cannon and rifle fir-
ing along the front. During the day of
the 7th the trenches north of Dixmude
and the villages south of Stuyvekene-
kerke and Ramscapelle were bombard-
ed violently. Our artillery scattered
German working parties near Beers-
bloot."Amsterdam, June 9.—The corres-
pondent of the Telegraaf at Sas Van
Ghent, Holland, says heavy damage at
Ghent has resulted from a British air
raid. The correspondent adds that no
details of the raid are available. Ghent
is twelve miles south of Sas Van
Ghent.The Telegraaf also says that it has
learned that the closing of the Dutch
frontier is in connection with the trans-
portation of huge bodies of troops
which are going to the Yser line.**AXE-HEAD STRUCK
HIM IN THE FACE**Wound Herbert Bridges, of Court-
ney, Received Required
Several Stitches.Courtney, B. C., June 9.—Herbert
Bridges, one of the leading agricultur-
ists in this district, was holding a stake
while his brother was driving it with
an axe, when the head of the axe flew
off, striking Mr. Bridges in the face
and inflicting a serious wound. Had
the axe-head struck Mr. Bridges with
the sharp edge it would probably have
killed him. Dr. Millard attended him
and found it necessary to put several
stitches in.On Monday night a man named
Watty Wilson, of Cumberland, was be-
having in an excited manner, being in-
toxicated, at Roy's beach. Mr. Hicks,
beach, police magistrate, Courtney,
who has a residence there, remonstrated
with him as he was armed with a
revolver, and was threatening to shoot
a dog. The man Wilson then became
abusive and waved the weapon about
in a dangerous way, and Magistrate
Hicksbeach notified the police. Pro-
vincial Constable Hannay was quickly
on the scene, but in the meantime Wil-
son had disappeared, and though the
bush was searched diligently for some
time it was too dark to discover him.
He was arrested, however, yesterday
morning and placed in the jail.Wilson has been working for some
time on the government roads. It ap-
pears that the sinking of the Lusitania
affected him greatly, as it is said that
he has carried a revolver ever since.**AGED MAN AND WIFE
LOST THEIR LIVES**Vancouver, June 9.—While Mr. and
Mrs. William Hammersley, pioneers,
even among old-timers, were sitting on
either side of a table in the little sit-
ting-room of their home at 1744 Al-
berni street, just after dusk last even-
ing, the big oil lamp on the table ex-
ploded and both were suffocated.
When the firemen succeeded in
breaking through the burning build-
ing half an hour later they found the
charred bodies of the old couple lying
on the floor, that of the woman two
feet from the door into the garden and
the other about seven feet away near
the kitchen door. Both apparently had
fallen from their chairs, when the ex-
plosion occurred, and had been unable
to move when the house was burning.
Mr. and Mrs. Hammersley were born
within a month of one another seventy-
four years ago. They had lived in Van-
couver about thirty-five years, and
their son, William Hammersley, 1336
Oatman drive, is a native son.**POPE IS WILLING TO
JOIN WITH PRESIDENT**Rome, June 9.—"I stand ready now
or at any future time to co-operate
with President Wilson in any move
destined to bring peace to war-stricken
Europe."This was the declaration made yes-
terday by Pope Benedict in an audi-
ence with Miss Jane Addams, of Chi-
cago, one of the representatives of the
women's peace conference which re-
cently met at The Hague."I realize," continued his holiness,
"that the whole world is looking to the
vatican to take the initiative for peace,
but I believe such a movement must
originate in the United States, which
is the greatest neutral power, and
which, up to this time, has maintained
a high standard of strict neutrality.""I feel that only a matter of national
pride will prevent the early establish-
ment of peace."Rome, June 9.—The Messagero denies
that the pope is trying to establish a
peace conference.**PORTLAND PEOPLE
AROSE EARLY TO-DAY**Portland, Ore., June 9.—Portland's
ninth annual rose festival was ushered
in to-day with a sunrise salute fired
by the United States cruiser Boston.
The city was up early. A half-doz-
en band concerts began at downtown
corners at breakfast time and from
then on the day's programme was
crowded with numerous events. The
festival, which is the most important
event held in Portland, will continue for
three days.The feature of the forenoon pro-
gramme was "The human rosebud"
parade of 4,000 school children.**WILLING TO HELP IN
WORK OF PRODUCTION**London, June 9.—Between three thou-
sand and four thousand men who are
employed at the Smithfield meat mar-
ket in London have volunteered to
work four hours a day in the munition
factories of war. A committee
formed to put this plan into effect pro-
posed to close the market two hours
earlier than at present on four days
of the week to offset in part the increase
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**TELLS OF HIS VISIT
TO A BOMB FACTORY**Correspondent Saw French at
Work Making Hand Gren-
ades and Trench MortarsChalons-sur-Marne, June 9.—It is
one of the most pleasing features of
the Frenchman at war that, although
discipline is in many ways much
stricter than in time of peace, although
the man is made to feel more strongly
that he is only part of a great ma-
chine, he nevertheless has not lost his
individuality. A striking proof of this
was afforded the correspondent by a
visit to one of the many bomb fac-
tories which have been organized to
provide the army with the new weap-
ons required in war.Among the bombs turned out at the
factory visited is a chemical bomb. As
the Germans in seeking to excuse the
employment of suffocating fumes and
inflammable liquids may feel tempted
to accuse the French of using similar
chemical weapons, it may be well to
describe the effects of the bomb em-
ployed along this section of the front.It is an ordinary hand grenade with
a charge which rips open the grenade
and frees a liquid chemical. There was
a party of soldiers undergoing instruc-
tion in bomb-throwing, and so as to
show them that the bomb they would
be called upon to use was not to be
compared in any way with the poison-
ous missiles used by the enemy, one
of these bombs was thrown down an
experimental gallery and the men
were marched into it. The writer went
up with them and returned with them
at the run. They all were roaring with
laughter, but their eyes were stream-
ing with tears. The effect of the fumes
liberated was to bring water to the
eyes in such quantities, that the occu-
pants of the trench in which the
bomb was thrown would have been
quite unable to defend themselves.
Shooting would be out of the question.
The pricking sensation in the eyes was
not pleasant, but it was not painful,
and the effects had worn off completely
in a few minutes.It is along this section of the front
that the Germans have brought into
action the greatest variety of chemical
missiles. They have thrown glass
tubes, which on bursting released some
form of ether, and bombs which con-
tained inflammable liquid, and gas.
Against these the French have a vari-
ety of missiles the contents of which
aim, not at killing in ways unrecog-
nized in any Hague convention, but
solely at placing the enemy hors de
combat for a limited space of time.The factory at which these and every
other kind of bomb and trench mortar
are being turned out affords a good in-
surance of the ready way in which the
French have utilized the industrial re-
sources of the country. They turn out
six or seven thousand bombs a day, as
well as numbers of trench mortars and
other devices for hurling explosives
across the one or two hundred yards
which usually separate the trenches in
this section of the front. The most
usual type of trench mortar and the
simplest to construct is that known as
the French soldier as the crapouillot,
on account of its squat, toadlike ap-
pearance. It is frequently made out of
the enemy's shrapnel cases. There are
other engines which resemble the ar-
quebus, the catapult, and the arbalest.
They have the advantage of throwing
their explosive missile without making
any revealing noise at the discharge,
but they are not so easy to work in
the trenches as the crapouillot.The lathe and benches of the fac-
tory are hard at work day and night
turning out this material, and in the
factory there is no question of "over-
time." The men are soldiers and re-
ceive their soldiers' pay. Their hours
are the longest compatible with effi-
ciency. There is no time lost through
spirit-drinking, for the supply of
spirits to the military has been made
a serious offence throughout the zone
of the armies.The work would make their employers
in times of peace open their eyes wide
in astonishment. Here within sound
of the guns the men have a more di-
rect and a finer inducement than that
of wages to spur on their energies. As
one of the men remarked, "I don't
know how you can say 'bas qu'on travaille.' (It's
for our pals out there that we're work-
ing). Forgive the great caricaturist,
has hit this frame of mind off in one
of his happiest prints. It represents
a group of infantrymen plodding along
a terrible path of mud, their clothes
soiled with mud, their backs bent
under the weight of their packs, their
faces drawn with fatigue and suffering.
Underneath is the legend, 'Si c'est
pour un patron qu'on grave' (If it
was for a boss what a strike we'd
have!)"**5,000 WERE KILLED
AND 750 CAPTURED**Petrograd, June 9.—Five thousand
Austro-Germans were killed and 750
taken prisoners in a bloody engage-
ment in Southeast Galicia, the war
office announced yesterday.These severe losses were suffered by
the enemy on one sector alone between
Kolomea and Nadworna. Along other
positions of the battlefield in South-
east Galicia, the Austro-Germans also
lost heavily in killed.Vienna, June 9.—At the army head-
quarters the following statement was
given out yesterday:"In the districts of the Pruth and
Dniester (Galicia) the Teutonic allies
yesterday prosecuted an attack along
the Lanczyn-Nadworna-Kalusz line
and pressed back the enemy towards
Stanislau and Kelm. Further pro-
gress was made on the left bank of
the Dniester, east and north of
Zurawno, 600 Russians being captured.
"Otherwise the situation is un-
changed."London, June 9.—A Petrograd dis-
patch to the Times says it is quite
certain that no landing was effected as
a result of the German naval activity
in the Baltic, and that no collision oc-
curred between the German and Rus-
sian fleets.Attempts to land at Windau and in
the Gulf of Riga, the dispatch adds,
were beaten off with heavy loss to the
Germans.**AUSTRIAN REPORTS ON
PROGRESS OF FIGHTING**Vienna, June 9.—The war office is-
sued the following statement yes-
terday:"In the Italian coastal district the
enemy apparently is preparing a
heavy attack against our positions on
the Isonzo river.""In his isolated attacks heretofore,
near Crado, he has been repulsed with
heavy losses.""In the Carinthian and Tyrol fron-
tier districts, the Italians have been
keeping up artillery fire without suc-
cess. An Alpine detachment which
occupied Monte Piano, to the south of
Lande, was driven off by our troops.
The district of Ala, was visited by
plundering Garibaldians."The following official communica-
tion was issued last evening:"A telegram from our naval com-
mander states that naval flying ma-
chine L-47, Commander Donchell
and Observer Naval Cadet von Strobel,
this morning successfully bombarded
Venice and dropped bombs on a bal-
loon shed at Mirano (two miles
northeast of Venice), and also on an
enemy torpedo boat destroyer."**MANY DOCTORS ARE
NEEDED FOR HOSPITALS**Ottawa, June 9.—Some fear is ex-
pressed at the militia department
that difficulty will be experienced in
securing a sufficiently large number
of medical men with the necessary
military training to officer all the hos-
pitals which are likely to be estab-
lished at the front.Already about seven hundred doc-
tors have enlisted for service, while
many more have expressed a desire
to serve. That the demands of the
future may exceed the supply, however,
is feared, as it is necessary that
medical men serving in the hospitals
at the front and at the base should
have had military as well as medical
training.**This School Girl Had
Bad Fainting Spells**Was Weak and Run Down, but Dr. Chase's Nerve Food Made
Complete CureThe most critical time in a girl's
life comes during the school age, when
she is impelled by rivalry to put forth
her best efforts in studying for exam-
inations. At the time she should have
plenty of fresh air, to keep the blood
pure and rich, she is confined by her
studies. Is it any wonder that she be-
comes run down in health and suf-
fers from headaches, indigestion, loss
of appetite and spells of weakness or
fainting?The case described in this letter is a
good illustration, and you can read
here the splendid results of using Dr.
Chase's Nerve Food to help through
this critical period.Mrs. H. Houston, Highland Grove,
Ont., writes:"While attending school my degen-
eration became weak and very much run
down. She was frequently troubled
with bad fainting spells, and nothing
we tried seemed to do her any good.
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isfactory results. I am pleased to tell
you that after using five boxes of the
Nerve Food, she was completely cured,
and has no return of the fainting
spells."This statement is certified to by Mr.
Hamilton Houston, Justice of the
Peace.The reason Dr. Chase's Nerve Food
is so effective in cases of this kind is
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abundance of rich, red blood it
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ARE URGING THAT HEBREWS BE BARRED

London, June 9.—The Exchange Telegraph company has received a dispatch from Berlin, via Amsterdam, saying that the Berliner Tageblatt declares that the German anti-Semitic organs are starting a new campaign to prevent Hebrews from becoming officers in the army after the war. The Tageblatt, which is owned by a Hebrew, is urging the government to put an end to these attacks on Hebrews, pointing out that German Hebrews are "dying gloriously by the thousands on the field of battle."

MUST REPORT.

Portland, Ore., June 9.—Italian Vice-Consul, Dr. Giovanni, has received instructions from the Italian consulate at Seattle to have all Italian residents in his district report as soon as possible.

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W. J. Bryan's Letter to President Wilson and the President's Reply

Washington, June 9.—President Wilson accepted the resignation of W. J. Bryan as secretary of state in a letter of regret, tinged with a deep personal feeling of affection. The letters constituting the official announcement of Mr. Bryan's departure from the cabinet to private life, were made public at the White House at 6 o'clock last evening. They were as follows:

"My Dear Mr. President: 'It is with sincere regret that I have reached the conclusion that I should return to you the commission of secretary of state with which you honored me at the beginning of your administration.

"Obeying to your sense of duty, and actuated by the highest motives, you have prepared for transmission to the German government a note in which I cannot join without violating what I deem to be an obligation to my country, and the issue involved is of such moment that to remain a member of the cabinet would be as unfair to you as it would be to the cause which is nearest my heart, namely, the prevention of war.

"I therefore respectfully tender my resignation to take effect when the note is sent, unless you prefer an earlier hour. Alas! desirous of reaching a peaceful solution of the problems arising out of the use of submarines against merchantmen, we find ourselves differing irreconcilably as to the methods which should be employed.

"It falls to your lot to speak officially for the nation; I consider it to be none the less my duty to endeavor as a private citizen to promote the end which you have in view by means which you do not feel at liberty to use. 'In severing the intimate and pleasant relations which have existed between us during the past two years, permit me to acknowledge the profound satisfaction which it has given me to be associated with you in the important work which has come before the state department, and to thank you for the courtesies shown.

"With the heartiest wishes for your welfare and for the success of your administration, I am, my dear Mr. President,

"Very truly yours,
(Sgd.) W. J. BRYAN.

"Washington, June 9, 1915."

"My Dear Mr. Bryan: 'I accept your resignation only because you insist upon its acceptance; and I accept it with much more than deep regret—with a feeling of personal sorrow. Our two years' close association has been very delightful to me. Our judgments have accorded in practically every matter of official duty and of public policy until now; your support of the work and purposes of the administration has been generous and loyal beyond praise; your devotion to the duties of your great office and your eagerness to take advantage of every great opportunity for service it offered has been an example to the rest of us. You have earned our affectionate admiration and friendship. Even now we are not separated in the object we seek, but only in the method by which we seek it.

"It is for these reasons that my feelings about your retirement from the

office of secretary of state so much deeper than regret. I deplore it. Our objects are the same, and we ought to pursue them together. I yield to you desirous only because I must, and wish to bid you Godspeed on the parting. We shall continue to work for the same causes even when we do not work in the same way.

"With affectionate regard, sincerely yours,
"WOODROW WILSON."

Dramatically the official relation of Mr. Bryan with the administration of the man whose nomination he assisted so materially in bringing about at the Baltimore convention of 1912 came to an end. It caused a sensation in the national capital scarcely paralleled in recent years. Ambassadors and ministers and diplomats from foreign lands, officials of every rank and station heard the news. It was flashed by newspaper extras on the streets.

MINERS HAVE ASKED GOVERNMENT TO ACT

Fernie, B. C., June 9.—Fully six hundred of the miners employed here attended the open-air meeting yesterday afternoon, which was the outcome of British, Russian, Italian, Montenegrin and Belgian miners refusing yesterday morning to go to work while Austrians and Germans were employed in the Coal Creek mines of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal company.

After two hours spent in endeavoring to find a solution of the problem, during which time the conduct of those present, apart from minor interruptions, was very orderly, a motion was carried that until the Germans and Austrians were dismissed entirely the others would refuse to work, and that a deputation of eight workers immediately would interview the company officials. Adjournment was taken to receive the report.

Lieut.-Colonel Mackay, officer commanding the local militia unit, telegraphed the district officer commanding, stating particulars and requesting instructions. When interviewed, the company officials declined to take the action requested by the mass meeting deputation, and the meeting passed a motion that adjournment be made until receipt of a reply from Victoria regarding government intervention with respect to the internment of objectionable aliens.

LARGE NUMBERS OF MEN MAY BE EMPLOYED SOON

Ottawa, June 9.—The cabinet council has had under consideration plans designed to assist in solving the problem of unemployment in Canada and measures of relief are expected very shortly. While no intimation has been given, it is understood that the suggestion made recently by the deputation of mayors that a commission of inquiry be appointed will not be adopted. Instead, it is proposed that the Dominion assist the provinces and the municipalities in the employment of large numbers of men on works of a productive character.

AMONG THE WOUNDED.

London, June 9.—Lieut. Theodore Douglas Hallam, of the Royal Naval Volunteer reserve, armored car division, who comes from Toronto and who was transferred from the Canadian division, has been wounded. He is serving in the Mediterranean expedition.

An electrical power station is about to be erected at Guane, in Sweden, at which sawdust from a sawmill in the neighborhood will be used as fuel.

BEREFT OF REASON, SAYS SEATTLE PAPER

Post-Intelligencer's Remarks About Bryan; Portland Oregonian's Comments

Seattle, June 9.—Strong criticism of William J. Bryan as a statesman is expressed by the Seattle Post-Intelligencer to-day in the following editorial:

"William Jennings Bryan's retirement from the cabinet, unimportant in itself, is weighted with the deepest import by the circumstances attending it. With 'Stand by the President' the slogan to which the country promptly attunes itself in any crisis affecting the nation, the secretary of state, pacifist, temporarily bereft of reason and lost to a sense of patriotic duty, breaks with the president. A statesman would have resigned before the issue was made. The episode must necessarily appear to Germany as evidence of a divided country. Mr. Bryan is unfitted for statecraft and has been only a misplaced figurehead from the beginning. On incomplete analysis of the jarring incident, the manner of his going is the least becoming act of his unprofitable career in diplomacy."

Portland, Ore., June 9.—Of the resignation of Secretary Bryan, the Oregonian says editorially:

"Mr. Bryan's resignation as secretary of state is an event of momentous import in its relation both to the foreign affairs and the domestic policies of the United States. In both connections it is an event of such gravity that with difficulty can the one be dismissed from the mind while considering the other.

"The effects of Mr. Bryan's resignation on internal politics are only slightly less important than its effects on our foreign policy.

"Mr. Wilson may have lost the Bryan strength, but he has won immeasurably greater strength among that vast body of Americans, tied only loosely to any party, which values the national honor and the national safety above all else."

London, June 9.—William J. Bryan's resignation from the secretaryship of state of the United States is featured to-day in all London papers, but difference of opinion exist regarding the probable effect of Bryan's action on the new note to Germany.

The Star says the resignation furnishes strong indications that the new note will be couched in even more aggressive terms than the now famous "strict accountability" message, and strongly intimates that war may result.

The Standard admits the probability of a strong tone in the new note, but declares that it does not necessarily mean war.

Excitement among the American colonists here ran high to-day, and the possibility of war was almost the sole topic of conversation.

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REGINALD M'KENNA MET SIGNOR CARCANO

Rome, June 9.—An official statement issued here says:

"Minister of the Treasury Carcano conferred at Nice on June 4 and 5 with the British Chancellor of the Exchequer, Rt. Hon. Reginald McKenna. They discussed the financial co-operation of the two countries, and decided on the measures to take to that effect. The conference displayed perfect harmony between the two governments.

"The chancellor of the exchequer was accompanied by the governor of the Bank of England, and Signor Carcano by a director of the Bank of Italy."

London, June 9.—The British statement concerning the financial conference between Chancellor of the Exchequer McKenna and Signor Carcano, the Italian minister of the treasury, says:

"The minister of the Italian treasury met the chancellor of the exchequer at Nice, June 4-5. Proposals for financial co-operation by the two countries were discussed and arranged on behalf of their respective governments. 'The conferences disclosed a complete agreement by the two governments and their resolution to co-operate in the use of their financial resources with the same ungrudging spirit as in the employment of their naval and military forces.'"

VOTE AT KINGSTON STOOD AT 368 TO 74

Kingston, June 9.—Friends of church union again secured a decisive vote in favor of their proposals at the session of the Presbyterian general assembly yesterday. The opposition was weaker in discussion than was the case a year ago at Woodstock, and the showing in the ballot was correspondingly worse. Only 17 per cent of the commissioners supported the minority report. The concluding ballot, which was taken at 5 o'clock, showed that 442 commissioners had voted for union, 416 for the union and 74 against. In Woodstock a year ago there were 395 commissioners present when the vote was taken. Of these, 236 were for union and 159 against.

LOST AN ARM.

El Paso, Tex., June 9.—General Obregon lost an arm while leading the attack against General Villa's army at South Leon, according to dispatches received here.

Where Italian Forces Are Invading Austria



The above map shows the northeastern frontier of Italy, across which King Victor Emmanuel's armies have advanced, one moving being directed at Trent and another toward the Isonzo river, Trieste being the goal.



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DOUBLY HONORED.

On the recommendation of General Joffre, the government of France has bestowed upon Aviator Warneford the cross of the Legion of Honor. Yesterday he received from His Majesty the King the Victoria Cross. Thus the young Canadian who three days ago was unheard of is the most highly honored person in Europe, the lion of two great nations.

Not only was the single-handed destruction of the Zeppelin a marvellous feat, a sensational episode with few parallels in history, but it was one of true military value. Its effect upon the moral of German Zeppelinists is bound to be very marked, while at the same time it will encourage big game hunting in the air by the allies' bird-men on a larger scale than ever before. As an incident of war it was more effective than the destruction by a Zeppelin of any number of little cottages in unfortified villages, because it achieved a strictly military purpose and gained a definite military advantage, while the indiscriminate dropping of bombs by big air-ships does neither.

MR. BRYAN'S RESIGNATION.

As a subsidiary development of the war the resignation of William J. Bryan as Secretary of State in the Washington cabinet is a diplomatic sensation of world prominence. It is, moreover, a circumstance of special international significance, for it indicates that the government of the United States intends to omit no word or act necessary to the performance of its sacred duty of maintaining the rights of the nation. It suggests that the note which is now ready for transmission to Berlin is virtually an ultimatum, that it insists upon the guarantees requested some weeks ago and demands from Germany an immediate declaration whether or not she intends to continue her activities on the sea in violation of the rules of war.

Mr. Bryan is what is known as an advocate of peace at any price. The fatal defect in his views lies in the fact that they ignore conditions as they exist and are based upon the theory of conditions as they should be. The president, an equally ardent supporter of peaceful policy, sees farther. He knows that the United States stands at the parting of the ways. He sees that if it does not indicate its intention of upholding its honor, its dignity and the rights of its people, it will have lost the respect of the world, its influence among the nations will have disappeared. It will have ignored the call of humanity in distress, shown a cynical indifference to the vindication of the law, and been false to the memory of its citizens who perished at the hands of German assassins. It will have done more than the Dornburgs, Ridders and von Bernstorffs have done to encourage in the Germans at home and abroad the conviction that Berlin controls Washington policy through the German-American vote.

President Wilson undoubtedly believes that the peace which he offers him is a piece with the situation that challenged the greatness of Lincoln. The president was not directing the affairs of a republic to-day there is no question as to the course he would pursue. For high principle, humanity, honor, and national integrity he did not falter in the face of the most terrible alternative that ever confronted the head of a state. Mr. Bryan in his place would have chosen peace with slavery and the consequent dissolution of the

union. Lincoln chose a war, the most horrible of all wars, and once his choice was made he never paused until absolute final victory crowned the arms of his soldiers.

Mr. Bryan's selection as secretary of State was not a wise one in the first instance. It was due to the dominating position the Nebraska orator had established for himself in the councils of his party at the convention in which Woodrow Wilson obtained the nomination for the presidency. Bryan was entirely without experience in office. He was totally unfitted for a post which requires special qualifications, and before long it became quite evident that the strength and tact which characterized Washington's foreign policy under Hay, Root, and Knox were conspicuously lacking. Aside from his inexperience, Mr. Bryan suffered from narrowness of vision and an impracticable mind. Although eloquent and high principled, he was wholly at sea in matters of international statesmanship.

The resignation of Mr. Bryan shows how closely interlocked are the relations of the great powers of the world. When the war began we predicted that only a miracle would save all the important nations from being drawn into it. The issue raised in a conflagration which throws into a death-grapple more than one-half the people of the globe are such as to affect the vital interests of the remainder. Unless peace comes the United States will be a party to the struggle within the next two months, while the remaining neutrals of Europe will be involved for precisely the same reasons. An outlaw has run amok among the nations. It has challenged the security of the world, and must be put down. Mr. Bryan would let it continue on its mad course. President Wilson, as far as his country is concerned, will not.

ALTRUISM AND GAS.

There are people in Victoria—seemingly intelligent people too—who take high ethical ground on the question of the use of gas. We have met some of them, and others have afflicted us with letters on the subject. They say it would be "unsportsmanlike" and "against all the rules" to adopt German methods. Such persons dismiss from their minds all thought of the ordeal through which our soldiers are passing. They consider not at all the fact that if we adopt an unreasoning attitude of "superiority" thousands of lives may be sacrificed unnecessarily in agony and thousands of households involved in sorrow. Indeed there is much more involved in the proposition than the question of fair play for our men in the field, although that in itself ought to be sufficient to close the mouths of those whose ideas of honor amount to perversion of the code. Lord Armstrong, a British scientist of great repute as well as a gentleman of the highest honor, recently visited the front for the purpose of ascertaining personally the effect upon our troops of "the devilish gas" launched against our forces by the barbarous and inhuman German scientists. Here is what he has to say on the subject, and we ask the high altruists to make a note of the last clause of his pronouncement: "It is most distasteful to me to appear to write in a spirit of exaggeration or that of an alarmist, but I have seen sights that arouse one's deepest indignation, and I cannot help thinking of 400 brave Canadians brought to a terrible death, before their comrades' eyes, without being able to retaliate, and I cannot forget the purple flush that I saw on the faces of dying heroes, many of them splendid-looking men and unwounded, but to whom the Angel of Death was appearing in most dreadful form. The time has come when we must stifle sentiment, and be prepared in every case to meet force by force, and strategy by strategy, if we hope to eventually come out victors in the colossal struggle on which depends our very existence as a nation."

MORE MEN FROM CANADA.

Major General Hughes has sent out a call for thirty-five thousand more men to go from Canada, to the battlefront as quickly as they can be equipped and trained. There are more than thirty-five thousand men in the dominion, aside from those already enrolled, who will respond with celerity to the call as soon as they are assured that they will have an early opportunity of striking a blow for the empire. There must be an end to the grievances of the sort that were vented by members of the board of trade at a meeting a short time ago and the best way in which this can be done is to decentralize the system of military administration and give the authorities of each district power to equip and supply their recruits and troops without being compelled to refer every minor detail to Ottawa. The Minister of Militia should emulate the British war office and call in great organizers like Sir Thomas Shaugnessy to facilitate the equipment and transportation of the men who enroll themselves for active service. All red-tape should be buried so deep that it will not be visible again until, at least, the war is over.

VAST RESERVES AVAILABLE.

There are three-quarters of a million Italian reservists in America. The greater proportion of these men are immediately available. In other words Italy, thanks to her allies' supremacy at sea, has an immense reserve depot from which she can draw an army in itself as large as the entire armed strength of Turkey. France also has been drawing liberally upon reserves from across the seas, which accounts for the fact that although her losses exceed a million and a half men, she is able to keep almost double that number at the battlefront with almost a million more at the concentration camps and training depots.

Before the war is over Great Britain, France, Italy, Russia and her smaller allies probably will have drawn almost two million men from the large number of reservists scattered all over the globe, apart altogether from the contingents dispatched by overseas dominions. This enormous accession of strength is playing a decisive part in the determination of the issue, and its full effect will be seen in the next few months. But the fact that it is available is due wholly to the navy, for were any considerable number of German vessels to reach the high seas it would be a long time before reservists in any large contingents could be transported to Europe without the gravest risk. When the British fleet locked the German navy-up in its bases it won half a dozen Trafalgars. In the light of these circumstances we can grasp the real inwardness of the incoherent German hatred of Britain.

A DAMAGING ADMISSION.

A few days ago the court of inquiry in connection with the Manitoba parliament building scandal, which caused the downfall of the Roblin government, made the startling discovery that three departmental record books had been mutilated and numerous orders-in-council, including the one authorizing the award of the contract, were missing. Yesterday Sir Rodmond Roblin, the late premier, admitted he had destroyed the documents and contended he had a perfect right to do so.

Those documents were not the personal property of the late Manitoba ministry. They had to do with the expenditure of public money and their destruction and mutilation was a sinister proceeding, in itself a damning indictment of the former administration. Witnesses in hiding, missing orders-in-council and other developments explain the hasty resignation of Sir Rodmond and his colleagues after the Lieutenant-Governor took action. They also afford an explanation of the feverish anxiety of Mr. Rogers for an early federal election.

In British Columbia there is no opportunity for the people to learn how their millions have been expended. The public accounts committee of the legislature, a body which in Manitoba uncovered the parliament building contract scandal, has met but once in the last ten years, and that meeting was a travesty. Yet our government has spent \$17,000,000 in one year, three times as much as the amount voted by the legislature of Manitoba. The \$300,000 paid in connection with the Kitilano Indian reserve were not voted by the legislature, though curiously enough the amount appears in the journals of the House as having been so authorized. And we did not get the reserve. The Manitoba legislature had an opposition of thirteen members when the disclosures which killed the Roblin administration first came to light. The sequel shows what a formidable opposition can do in the interests of good government and a square deal for the people.

The morning paper is making a pathetic effort to discredit the pamphlet, "The Crisis in B. C.," compiled by M. B. Cotsworth, but in doing so it takes mighty good care to confine itself to the fringe of the subjects touched upon. If the publication has a few errors it will occasion no surprise, for even the ministers themselves cannot agree upon facts in their public utterances. Palpably inaccurate information was placed before the legislature in response to the first inquiries in connection with Mr. Ellison's venture in cows more than a year ago. The main charges in the pamphlet relative to railway deals, land grabbing, alienation of resources generally and financial mal-administration are correct and some of them have been established out of the utterances and admissions of ministers and their journals. Incidentally it is appropriate to recall that a few days before Sir Rodmond Roblin's ministry's ignominious debacle its chief newspaper supporter in Winnipeg vigorously denied all the charges laid against the government, branding those who made them as scandalmongers and unpatriotic persons.

The Wall Street Journal, New York, says: "Germany is convicted by the very rules of international law which it has helped to frame and appealed to so often. To what lengths will the spirit of militarism carry the German government, that it shocks the world by the deliberate, premeditated murder of its own citizens?"

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tage? Great Britain cannot hang the submarine officers and crews. But it would be justified on any interpretation of international law, in hanging Von Tirpitz and the Kaiser himself.

Germany blames the Italian people for forcing Italy into the war. Well, that is very much to the credit of the Italian people. If the German people were as well informed as the Italian people and knew the Kaiser and the war lords as well as all the world outside of Germany knows them, perhaps there might have been no war. In the meantime the truth must be hammered into their heads and all ideas of world domination knocked out. After that job is finished they will put less trust in that chosen vessel of Satan, Wilhelm.

Sir Rodmond Roblin admitted that he destroyed the documents in connection with the parliament building contract scandal. What did Sir Richard do with that dissolution order-in-council which his chief newspaper supporter stated had been signed by the Lieutenant-Governor?

Saatchi makes it a rule that men employed on road work shall be residents. A man has just qualified by residence in the provincial jail. He told the foreman he had lived the necessary period on Wilkinson road, omitting to add the address.

STATES' NOTE SENT TO GERMANY TO-DAY

(Continued from page 1.)

should go as far as it can, and that in case of doubt it should give the benefit of the doubt to the government.

"But even if the government could not legally prevent citizens from traveling on belligerent ships, it could, and in my judgment should, earnestly advise American citizens not to risk themselves or the peace of their country, and I have no doubt that these warnings would be heeded."

"President Taft advised Americans to leave Mexico when insurrection broke out there, and President Wilson has repeated the advice. This advice, in my judgment, was eminently wise, and I think the same course should be followed in warning Americans to keep off vessels subject to attack."

"I think, too, that American passenger ships should be prohibited from carrying ammunition. The lives of passengers ought not to be endangered by cargoes of ammunition, whether that danger comes from possible explosion without, or from possible attacks from without. Passengers and ammunition should not travel together. The attempt to prevent American citizens from incurring these risks is entirely consistent with the effort which our government is making to prevent attacks by submarines."

"The use of one remedy does not exclude the use of the other. The most familiar illustration is to be found in the action taken by municipal authorities during a riot. It is the duty of the mayor to suppress the mob and prevent violence, but he does not hesitate to warn citizens to keep off the streets during the riots. He does not question their right to use the streets, but for their own protection and in the interests of order, he warns them not to incur the risks involved in going upon the streets when men are shooting at each other."

"The president does not feel justified, first, in suggesting the submission of the controversy to investigation, or second in warning people not to incur the extra hazards in traveling on belligerent ships or on ships carrying ammunition. And he may be right in the position he has taken, but as a private citizen I am free to urge both of these propositions and to call public attention to those remedies in the hope of securing such an extension of public sentiment as will support the president in embarking upon these remedies. If, in the future, he finds it consistent with his sense of duty to favor them."

Secretary Bryan said, in giving out a statement, that while it mentioned only particulars of difference, he reserved any others for presentation in the future.

Washington, June 9.—Secretary Tamm stated positively that no comment would be made on Mr. Bryan's statement.

London, June 9.—Surfaced as the British public has been with war sensations, Secretary Bryan's withdrawal has created an unusual amount of interest and discussion because it has given a wholly unexpected turn to political events in the United States.

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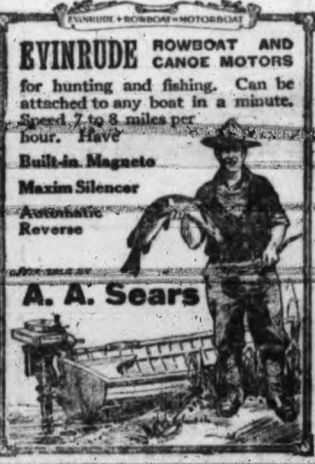


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Victoria Times, June 9, 1890.

The Oblate Fathers who are on their way to Scheldt celebrated High Mass in St. Andrew's pro-cathedral. They will attend the big Indian gathering there.

A party of prominent Chicagoans arrived in the city by the Islander on Saturday evening and spent Sunday in looking over the city, leaving on the Princess Louisa for Westminster.

The Victoria Transfer Company's bus Young America with about 50 members of the Midnight Adieu Dancing Club went down to Langford Plains yesterday morning, where a good time was spent by all.

The annual meeting of the school board was held last evening, at which considerable reference was made to the newspaper controversy now in progress on corporal punishment in the schools.

PRISONER RECAPTURED

William Parks Went Back to Scene of His Crime and Was Taken There.

This morning William Parks was taken out to the provincial jail on Wilkenson road to serve the remainder of his six-month term for stealing from the premises of the British-Canadian Lumber company at Port Renfrew.

He was re-captured yesterday at Port Renfrew by Provincial Constable McGuffie, and brought in from Sooke Harbor by launch, arriving last night. He was kept overnight in the police cells, as it was too late when he came in to take him out to the jail.

According to the story Parks told Constable McGuffie he dodged out of sight of the guard as he and others were being brought in to the jail from the fields, and under cover of a tool-house, made his way to the bush, where he hid until darkness set in. He walked from there to Port Renfrew, traveling by night and lying in hiding by day. For a couple of days he kept to the woods above the settlement before he went in to look for the friends he was expecting to get some money from.

It had been thought by the provincial police that Parks would make for Port Renfrew, and the settlers there were asked to notify the office here if he put in an appearance. He returned for the purpose of getting some money, and would have made his way to the American side by boat if he had not been taken again.

Parks was sent up for stealing from the store of the lumber company. A companion, Robert Halliday, is serving a term of one year for complicity in the same offence. Halliday broke away from the constable who was arresting the two of them and walked forty-two miles before he was re-captured.

TO BE HERE MONDAY WEEK

British Commission Has Set June 21 for Arrival; The Personnel.

The British mission of inquiry into armament labor supply will be here on June 21, returning to Vancouver to go into the situation there on June 23. As the date is thus one week from Monday next, the local authorities are endeavoring to secure the additional forms for applications before the end of the week. As stated yesterday those forwarded with the official communication were utterly inadequate to the demand, and inquiries are still coming in to the city hall for the necessary forms, which are to be ready by the time the commission arrives.

The personnel of the commission is George N. Barnes, M. P., the British Labor member. W. H. Beveridge, director of the Labor Exchange in London, and C. F. Rey, general manager of the same institution. W. Windham, who has carried on the correspondence with the mayor's office, is presumably the commission secretary.

The party will stay two days in Victoria, and from all appearances it will be a busy time, for the number of unemployed with exceptional credentials who are anxious to return to make war munitions is daily growing. From what Mr. Barnes is quoted as saying in the East, the British government can take and find at least six months' employment for practically every one who has been trained in factories and shipbuilding yards. The terms of engagement have already been published.

The Dandies at Gorge Park daily at 3 and 5 p. m. Seats 10c. No collection through seats.

Day Nursery Committee.—The Day Nursery committee will meet to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 at the Y. M. C. A. A full attendance of members is requested.

Outbreak of Fire.—The department was called yesterday evening to 815 Hillside avenue, to the premises occupied by J. Setington and owned by A. Beecher, where a spark had ignited the roof. The loss was about \$75, the attic being badly scorched.

Annual Flower Show.—The fifth annual flower show, under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Aidan's Presbyterian church, Mt. Tolmie, will be held on June 17, in St. Luke's parish hall. The competition is open to all, and the proceeds will be used to pay the debt on the manse.

Illustrated Lecture.—This evening at 8 o'clock an illustrated lecture will be delivered on "The Great Pyramid of Egypt, the Greatest of the Seven Wonders of the World." The slides and diagrams are taken from the works of Prof. C. Piazzi Smyth, ex-astronomer royal for Scotland. The lecture will be delivered in the L. B. S. A. hall, 1406 Douglas street. Admission is free and there will be no collection.

Tax Rate in Oak Bay.—The tax rate for 1915 in Oak Bay will be 10.65 mills on the dollar. The net rate will be 9.40 mills, which is one and one-half mills less than the rate for 1914. The general rate is 7.20 mills, on which there is one-sixth discount if the taxes are paid on or before July 1st. The school rate is 2.35 mills and the debt rate is 1.15 mills. The figures for last year were 9, 2.60 and 40 mills, respectively.

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June 9, 1915.

1. Leave of Absence: Capt. D. B. McConnan (R. O.) is hereby granted leave of absence from the 7th to the 29th June inst., both days inclusive.

2. Acting-Adjutant: To be acting-adjutant, Capt. W. Crow vice Capt. D. B. McConnan, absent on leave.

3. Resignation: Regimental Sergeant-Major W. P. Jeune and Sergeant B. H. Robinson having resigned will revert to the ranks at their own request.

4. Promotions: To be regimental sergeant-major, Color-Sergeant L. R. Teale, vice W. P. Jeune, resigned. To be sergeant, George F. Marsh, vice B. H. Robinson, resigned.

5. Parades: Smoking Concert H. M. S. Kent—As a smoking concert is to be given to the officers and men of H. M. S. Kent by the city of Victoria on Thursday the 10th inst., at the drill hall to which the officers and men of this corps, to the number of 25, have been kindly invited; there will be no parade on that night.

For tickets of admission members of A and B companies should apply to Capt. W. Crow, acting-adjutant, 502 Sayward building, and of C company to Capt. D. Spencer, D. Spencer & Co., Ltd.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.

J. A. Ardell, of Vancouver, is at the Strathcona hotel.

E. W. Ogilvie, of Toronto, is registered at the Empress hotel.

J. Alexander, of Alberni, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

W. Ward, of Duncan, is a guest at the King Edward hotel.

D. A. McAfee, of Ganges Harbor, is at the Dominion hotel.

John Miller, of Cranbrook, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

W. B. Northam, of Toronto, is a guest at the Empress hotel.

Oliver T. Keeble, of Toronto, is a guest at the Empress hotel.

Geo. Elkins, of Valdez, Alaska, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

D. D. Winter, of Vancouver, arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday.

S. C. Sellers, of Metichosia, registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday.

H. C. McGuffie, of Prince George, is registered at the Dominion hotel.

R. H. Woodhill is registered at the Strathcona hotel from Halifax, N. S.

George Mitchell is registered at the King Edward hotel from Vancouver.

Mrs. Fry, of Duncan, is in the city. She is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

Mrs. F. D. Seymour, of Seattle, arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday.

A. L. Eaton is among the guests at the King Edward hotel from Vancouver.

V. Inman, of Winnipeg, is among those registered at the King Edward hotel.

Mrs. Martha Gordon, of Palo Alto, California, is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

Miss MacNair, of Chemsalmus, is among those registered at the Strathcona hotel.

A. Thompson, of Sault Ste. Marie, is in the city. He is registered at the King Edward hotel.

Mrs. A. Kerhu and Miss Kerhu, of Milwaukee, are registered at the Empress hotel.

John Savage and Mrs. Savage, of Vancouver, are registered at the Dominion hotel.

A. W. Greene and Mrs. Greene, of Spencer, Iowa, are guests of the Dominion hotel.

H. L. Beamish, of Calgary, was among yesterday's arrivals at the Dominion hotel.

St. Louis arrivals at the Empress hotel include George A. Robinson and Carlisle Martin.

Frank Whitehead, H. R. Wilson and J. Kelst, of Vancouver, are registered at the Dominion hotel.

Three San Francisco men registering at the Empress hotel yesterday were

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F. Welsh arrived in the city yesterday from Australia. He is staying at the King Edward hotel.

Mrs. Francis A. Thayer and Mrs. George Varrellman, of New York, are registered at the Empress hotel.

Vancouver arrivals at the Empress hotel this morning include C. M. Rolston, R. K. Sterling, D. A. Macdonald and J. A. Grieve.

The many friends of Mrs. F. H. Mayhew will be pleased to learn that she is progressing favorably after an operation at St. Joseph's hospital.

At St. Mary's church, Oak Bay, the marriage of Mrs. Margaret Clelland and Arthur Samuel Dyer, of the 48th Battalion, was quietly celebrated by Rev. G. H. Andrews.

The marriage of Miss Beatrice Howard and Robert Gardiner Grant took place quietly last Saturday, at St. Mary's church, Oak Bay, Rev. G. H. Andrews, the rector, performing the rite.

The marriage of interest to Victorians took place on June 1 at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McLaughlin of their eldest daughter, Blanche Lenore, a graduate of the University of Alberta, to Albert Dymon, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Dymon, of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Joseph Coulter, and after the wedding breakfast, the young couple motored into Edmonton where they will reside.

A social event of the week was the reception given by Mrs. W. J. Roper, regent of the Navy League Chapter, I. O. D. E., to the officers of H. M. S. Kent. The event took place at her

beautiful home at Beach Drive, the reception rooms of which were exquisitely decorated with flowers. Assisting her in receiving the officers were Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Dole, Mrs. Thaw, Mrs. Appleby and Mrs. Dennis Cox, all members of the Navy League Chapter, and beside the principle guests, Captain Allen and officers of the Knt, there were present Rear Admiral Story, Commander and Mrs. Hose, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, Dr. and Mrs. Home, Mr. and Mrs. Blakmore, and the Japanese naval attaché, Guichi M. Myata. The tea-table was patriotically decorated with a Union Jack designed in flowers, with flags of the Allies grouped in the centre, and a picture of H. M. S. Kent of which Mrs. Roper's brother was one-time commander. A delightful programme of music added to the pleasure of the occasion.

A special "Guest Night" was held by Lieut.-Col. Holmes, O. C., and officers of the 48th Battalion on Monday evening, in honor of Capt. Allen and officers of H. M. S. Kent. The entertainment consisted of a well-appointed dinner which took place at 7.30, in the course of which Lieut.-Col. Holmes eloquently proposed the health of the officers of H. M. S. Kent. This was responded to by Capt. Allen in characteristically happy vein. Later in the evening dancing was indulged in, the varied quarters of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, which left here last Friday evening for England, making an excellent improvised ballroom, tastefully decorated with flags and flowers by Mrs. Frank de Sails and Miss Phyllis Dubois. The floor was in excellent condition, and a large number for specially invited guests entered into full enjoyment of the pastime until 3 o'clock in the morning. The newly-formed Battalion band furnished a splendid programme of music, covering itself with glory on this, its first appearance. Lieut.-Col. Holmes and all the officers of the 48th Battalion were present, and from H. M. S. Kent there were Captain Allen, Commander Bedford, Lieut.-Commander Redhead, Lieut. Jones, and Mr. Burridge.

AT THE THEATRES

COLUMBIA THEATRE.

In addition to the regular prizes which are given away at the Country Store every Wednesday and Friday the management of the Columbia theatre has arranged to give a real live baby as a special prize to-night after the first performance. Many applications have been received at the box office by ladies and some gentlemen anxious to secure this special prize, but as it will only be given to the person holding the lucky number a record attendance is anticipated. Many rumors have been heard in the streets regarding the baby, but the management refuses either to confirm or deny them, simply stating that all necessary arrangements have been made to secure the baby, which will be turned over to them on Wednesday morning, and that their patrons may be assured of a barrel of fun to-night.

CHAPTER REPORTS

Agnes Deans Cameron, I. O. D. E. Members Sent in Big List of Articles During Month.

The regular monthly meeting of the Agnes Deans Cameron Chapter, I. O. D. E., was held on Monday evening in the Y. W. C. A. library, the regent, Mrs. D. Miller, in the chair. Thirty members were present. Reports included that of the treasurer, which showed a very satisfactory balance; of Mrs. Dorman, convener of the knitting and needlework guild, who stated that the following articles had been sent in this month: 25 pairs of socks, 10 helpless shirts, three nightshirts, eight pairs hospital shoes, three pairs wristlets, one scarf and three children's garments. The children's garments were sent to the day nursery, and the other articles to the Victoria branch of the Red Cross society. A suggestion from the Municipal

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chapter that arrangements should be made by the executive of the Agnes Deans Cameron chapter to assist one of the ladies of the chapter, who was discharged, the executive being delegated to make such arrangements as they see necessary.

Mrs. Macfarlane, former regent, who was greatly enjoyed by the members. That the Dorcas work may go on without interruption it was arranged that \$50 be spent in buying wool for socks, and a bolt of flannel for the children's garments.

"Porter, can you tell me how that guard lost his finger?" asked the inquisitive woman. "He seems to be a very nice man. It is a pity he should be crippled." "That's just it, mum. He is a good fellow. He is so obliging that he wore his finger off pointing out the scenery along the line."

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CADET CORPS WERE INSPECTED YESTERDAY

Interesting Proceedings Take
Place at Beacon Hill and
Macaulay Plains

South Park and Esquimalt Schools Cadet corps were yesterday afternoon inspected by Major Belson, provincial inspector and organizer. The lads of the former, in charge of Lieut. Gilbert, paraded near Burns' monument, Beacon Hill park, at 2 o'clock, and gave an exhibition of drill and practice which did credit to the splendid training to which they have been subjected by their instructor, Lieut. Brown. Mrs. McMicking, the regent of the Lady Douglas Chapter with which the South Park corps is affiliated, and other members of the Chapter were present and watched the exercises with growing admiration. At the conclusion of the inspection Mrs. McMicking complimented the lads and expressed the pride of the Chapter in practical terms by saying that they felt impelled to do more than ever to assist the corps, to which, it is understood, the ladies have already contributed about \$48 for uniforms.

Regret was expressed by the Chapter's spokesman that they were unable to present the Ross rifle this year, owing to the fact that the manufacturers had temporarily discontinued to make this. But at the conclusion of the war they hoped to do so.

Mrs. Jenkins with a few congratulatory remarks presented the medal given by Capt. Ian St. Clair for the best shot in the corps. The girls of South Park school were present at the inspection, and gave a very fine rendering of "O Canada" before the proceedings concluded.

Among those who witnessed the inspection were Mrs. Belson, Captain James, of Mount Toulmie school; Lieut. Bullen and Mrs. Bullen; Inspector Paul and many members of the chapter. The Esquimalt school cadet corps were inspected at Macaulay Plains at 3.30, in charge of their captain, R. Mulcahy, Major Belson, who made the inspection, being accompanied by Major Ross Cullin, Major Woolaston and Capt. James. An extensive series of drills, exercises, etc., and a march past, was carried out, after which the corps gave an exhibition of sham attack of an enemy's position. Throughout their work was characterized by alertness, precision and individual initiative, which, as in the case of the South Park cadets, won the praise of the provincial inspector.

Mrs. Bullen, of the Esquimalt Chapter, I. O. D. E., spoke on behalf of the order to which she belongs and announced the presentation of a rifle to the corps, and of a silver shield which she would give as a personal gift. The miniature Ross rifle for the best shot in the corps is to be presented by Sidney Heald.

The inspection was watched by a big number of Esquimalt residents, among those present being many members of the Esquimalt Chapter, I. O. D. E., and Leonard Tait, chairman of the Esquimalt school board; Lieut. Mulcahy, R.C.G.A.; Inspector Sproule, and the two corps instructors, Lieut. W. Stacey and Lieut. J. Dowler. At the conclusion of the inspection and addresses the cadets were entertained at tea by the Daughters of the Empire at the grounds of Mrs. Mathews.

FORT STREET CORNER ASSESSMENT REDUCED

Successful Appeal on Brown
Jug Property; the
C. P. R. Wires

The appeal of the Griffiths Investment Company against the assessment on the Brown Jug corner, which was lodged last week, came up again in a report from the assessor to the court of revision this morning on the four corners at the intersection of Government street and Fort street, (the C. P. R. offices, the Bank of Commerce, the C. N. R. vacant lot, and the land in question).

After an elaborate comparison between the Brown Jug corner, assessed at \$66,600, and the large lot held by the C. N. R. opposite, the court decided that a reduction of \$5,000 was equitable, and ordered the assessment to stand at \$61,600.

The mayor indicated that a date would be set for appellants to hear the opinion of the court, after a visit had been paid to the various properties laid over for further examination. Later in the morning the court passed upon a number of cases where appellants did not appear.

The C. P. R. lodged a protest against being assessed for the telephone wires in the city, stating that they were using the privileges of the B. C. Electric Railway and B. C. Telephone company under lease.

Alderman McNeill said it was not clear from the letter whether the company only used the poles, or utilized the wires of other companies, and suggested an opinion from the solicitor on the matter.

Alderman Dilworth doubted under the circumstances whether the company could be assessed.

However, the court decided to strike out the assessment altogether on the wires.

The opinion of the solicitor will be obtained as to whether the city is empowered to tax the lots leased to the Taylor Mills company and Lemon-Gunnison Co. at Rock Bay, to which reference was made by Thornton Fell, K.C., yesterday.

H. M. Fullerton appeared to support the appeal against the assessment on Pantages theatre site of \$168,000. The property consists of two lots, one fronting on Government street containing the theatre, and the other on the corner of Government street and Cormorant street.

The land had been purchased for \$128,000 in May, 1913, Mr. Fullerton said. The court indicated that it would take the matter into consideration in making its inspection of properties.

At the afternoon session of the court yesterday Mr. Fell completed his cases. On the application of James Forman the assessment on the Grace Lutheran church was reduced to \$4,450, a reduction of \$250.

Mr. Shallcross was also heard at this session in connection with an appeal.

"Mother, I can never win the prize for good behavior," exclaimed a boy, just in from school; "I've tried, and tried, but some other fellow always gets it." "But you must keep on trying," said his mother encouragingly. "It's no use," replied the boy, "I shan't try any more. It's a clean waste of goodness."

WAR TAKES TOLL OF FURTHER VICTORIANS

Latest Casualty Lists Include
Several Names of Men Who
Enlisted Here

Later casualties learned through official and unofficial sources include:

Killed in Action.
Sgt. Colin Milburn.

Wounded.
Sgt. J. C. Anthony.
Pte. Sidney Fletcher.

Suffering From Shock.
Pte. Alex. Golding.

Prisoners of War.
Pte. G. Malloes.
Pte. F. W. Russell.

In Hospital.
Lieut. G. E. Shaw.
Rejoined Unit.
Pte. N. E. Sandler.

Sgt. Colin Milburn, 16th Battalion, according to a message sent to his aunt, Mrs. Goepel, 1257 Hampshire road, has been killed in action. He left here in February with the 30th Battalion (having come down with the Prince Rupert contingent), and had only been at the front a few weeks. Born in London, England, he was 23 years of age, and came to this country in 1908, four years later receiving an appointment in the government offices at Port George. He was through the



PTE. F. S. GIRRELL
Wounded.

South African war with the 11th Hussars, and was awarded both medals for that campaign. His wife, a sister, and a brother, G. Milburn, government agent at Port George, are among other close connections who live here.

Sgt. J. C. Anthony, wounded, was the son of G. W. Anthony, accountant and auditor, Jones building. He was a corporal with the 88th Regiment, and was drafted into the 30th which went to France recently from Shorncliffe. About thirty years of age, he was an Englishman by birth and education.



SGT. V. D. STEVENS
Wounded.

and came to Victoria seven or eight years ago. He was very interested in the scout movement, and was assistant scoutmaster of 3rd Troop for some time. Prior to enlisting he was cashier with Evans, Coleman & Evans.

Pte. Cecil Arthur Fletcher, according to a message received by Sidney A. Fletcher, inspector of government agencies for British Columbia, has been wounded. Twenty years of age, he is a native of New Westminster, and went to the front with the first Canadian expeditionary force. He was quite well known in Victoria.

Pte. G. Malloes, 7th battalion, reported missing, is a prisoner-of-war at Glessen, Germany, according to a letter received by his mother at the Windsor hotel station.

Pte. F. W. Russell, 7th battalion, writes to relatives here that he is a prisoner of war at Glessen, Germany. He was formerly reported missing. He is a nephew of the Misses O'Brien, 67 Wellington avenue.

Lieut. G. E. Shaw, 7th battalion,

wounded, has been admitted to hospital suffering with a wounded foot.

Pte. N. E. Sandler, 15th battalion, recently reported wounded, is now reported to have rejoined his regiment.

Cpl. Nash, wounded in the face, is now convalescent and has been removed to Baron Abercromby's country house, which has been lent as a hospital for wounded soldiers. The injury is not so severe as was at first anticipated, but it is possible that he may still lose the sight of one eye.

Pte. W. Kirohen, who was officially reported killed on May 24, is now reported wounded, and in hospital suffering with injuries from a fragment of shrapnel. A letter received by his uncle, E. P. Kirchen, of this city, says that he is talking of returning to the trenches. He left here with the 88th regiment detachment.

Pte. Alex. Golding, suffering from shock, was formerly a blacksmith's helper at Yarrow's works. His father, J. W. Golding, resides at Esquimalt, and the family came to Victoria from the old country eight years ago.

Another soldier well known in Victoria who has been wounded is Cpl. Leopold Clark, son of Mrs. W. G. Clark, of 1710 Hollywood crescent. He was a well-known member of the Wanderers' rugby football club. He has a brother living here, another is at the front, a third resides in Roseland, while his sister is actively engaged in nursing.

The matinee performance was about half over when a distracted-looking woman with a curly-haired youngster of six sought out the man in the box office. "There are boxes on your chairs in there," she began, "and they say drop in a penny and get a box of sweets." "Yes, I see," asserted the man in the box office. "Well," she continued, indignantly, "I dropped a penny in for my little girl." "And couldn't you get the sweets?" queried the box office man. "Wait, I'll see if we can't get it out." "Oh, yes," answered the woman, "I got the sweets all right, but I couldn't get the penny out." And to the ticket man at least this remark furnished a more dramatic moment than any in the play.

Tenant—"Our house is in very bad shape. One of the walls has bulged out several inches." Landlord—"Is that so? Then as the house is larger, I'll have to raise your rent."

INSURANCE CASE IN THE APPEAL COURT

Statements of Insured Held to
Have Been Incorrect and
Company Refused to Pay

The court of appeal this morning commenced the hearing of the appeal in the suit of Crisp against the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Company. The plaintiff is the appellant, and is represented by W. B. A. Ritchie, K. C., with Sir Charles H. Tupper representing the company.

The case is an appeal from the judgment of Mr. Justice Morrison, who dismissed the action of Frederick George Crisp, trustee of an estate who sued the insurance company for \$10,000 or the return of \$444, the amount of two years' policy premiums paid for the insurance of the life of Walter S. Matthews.

Matthews, who has since died, insured his life in the company for \$10,000 and paid two years' premiums of \$222 each. By his will his wife was entitled to his estate, and Mr. Crisp was named trustee. He applied for payment of the insurance money, which was refused on the ground that statements made by the insured when taking out his policy were untrue.

The trustee sued for the amount or the return of the two payments, and lost the case.

The statements in the policy application made by the deceased were to the effect that he was in good health when insured. The company contends that he was not in good health, and was aware that he was not.

In our house is a baby and also a new nursemaid fresh from the country. The other morning the girl came into the dining room with beaming face and said: "If he ain't the drollest baby, ma'am, as ever was; that's the second pin as he has gone and swallowed."

Surprised at the commotion she occasioned, she quickly added, "Oh! but they're safety pins, ma'am!"

HELP

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Breathes there a man with soul so dead,
Who never to himself hath said:
This is my own, my native land.

NEW LAW CONTENTION ON CRIMINAL APPEAL

Argued There is No Appeal
From Police Magistrate
Under the Code

In the appeal of Mrs. Robertson before Judge Lampman against a conviction in the police court for having improperly conducted the Bellevue hotel, Yates street, C. L. Harrison this morning raised the question as to whether there is any right of appeal from a police magistrate's decision in British Columbia. The matter was argued at some length, and eventually the appeal which has lasted two days was adjourned until Friday to allow Mr. Harrison an opportunity to apply to the supreme court for a writ of prohibition against the county

Judge's criminal court from hearing the appeal further.

The criminal code, by the latest amendments, cites that there may be an appeal from two justices of the peace in British Columbia, and he holds that the clause under which he asks prohibition does not cover the question of an appeal from a magistrate. It is contended that the intention in altering the code was to provide for appeals from justices, it being considered by the framers of the amendments that a magistrate is as qualified legally as a county court judge is in criminal matters, whereas the justices are not usually legally trained officials.

The contention of the other side, represented by J. A. Aikman, is that the interpretation clause of the chapter of the code referred to says that magistrate shall mean two justices of the peace, and that therefore the appeal is possible. He also holds that there is no appeal higher than an appeal court, and the county judge's criminal court of appeal is the last place for judgment, and the case now being before that judge cannot be interfered with by other courts.

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at back \$11.00.

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basement, etc. \$15.00.

MARON ST.—5 rooms \$14.00.

QUADRA CARRIED OUT
MUCH WORK ON TRIPMet Dirty Weather Off Coast;
New System of Lighting
is in Effect

Completing a very lengthy cruise to
northern British Columbia waters, the
lighthouse tender Quadra, Capt. Le-
Blanc, returned to port last evening.
She has been absent from Victoria for
two months, and during that time re-
charged fourteen beacons and twelve
buoys, and surveyed the sites of
thirty-nine beacons and lighthouses.
When these aids to navigation were
erected, no survey was made, and
in order to have a record the Marine
department decided to have the work
done.

The Quadra met with varied weather
during her long trip. She steamed
from here to Prince Rupert, doing con-
siderable work in the inside passage.
Her orders then took her to Stewart,
Portland Canal, and Granby Bay. Up
on the completion of this work she
steamed for the Queen Charlotte Is-
lands, thence to Milbank Sound, and
then to the west coast of this island.
Capt. LeBlanc says that for the first
six weeks the weather was ideal, but
upon running abreast of Cape Scott,
Vancouver Island, strong easterly
gales were met. The weather contin-
ued very dirty until the tender en-
tered the Strait of Juan de Fuca.

New System in Effect

With the return of the Quadra the
new system of lighting the coast has
been inaugurated. The tender carried
out the changes and with the excep-
tion of four lights, there will be in
future red lights to port, and white
lights to starboard when ships are
bound north. Great opposition has
been worked up against the system,
but the government has carried it out,
and seafaring men must abide by it.
Capt. LeBlanc reports that Stewart,
which a few years ago was one of the
busiest mining centres in the north,
is a deserted town. There are not one
hundred people in the place at present.
Other towns in the north are also
quiet.

WIRELESS REPORT

June 9, 8 a.m.
Point Grey—Overcast; N. E. light;
bar, 30.12; temp, 55; sea smooth.
Cape Lazo—Cloudy; calm; bar, 30.10;
temp, 57; sea smooth.
Pachena—Cloudy; S. W. strong;
bar, 29.87; temp, 60; sea rough.
Estevan—Clear; N. W. light; bar,
29.98; temp, 45; sea smooth.
Triangle—Raining; S. W. light; bar,
30.22; temp, 46; sea smooth.
Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; calm; bar,
30.20; temp, 50; sea smooth.
Alert Bay—Overcast; calm; bar,
30.00; temp, 48; sea smooth.
Prince Rupert—Clear; N. W. light;
bar, 30.10; temp, 54; sea smooth.
Ikeda—Cloudy; calm; bar, 30.18;
temp, 58; sea smooth.
Noon.
Pt. Grey—Cloudy; calm; bar, 30.18;
temp, 62; sea smooth.
Cape Lazo—Cloudy; calm; bar, 30.0;
temp, 60; sea smooth.
Pachena—Clear; N. W.; bar, 29.920;
temp, 60; sea moderate.
Estevan—Cloudy; calm; bar, 29.96;
temp, 52; sea smooth.
Triangle—Overcast; N. E. light; bar,
30.24; temp, 50; sea smooth.
Dead Tree Point—Clear; calm; bar,
30.22; temp, 58; sea smooth.
Alert Bay—Overcast; calm; bar,
30.00; temp, 60; sea smooth.
Prince Rupert—Overcast; calm; bar,
30.02; temp, 55; sea smooth.
Ikeda—Cloudy; calm; bar, 30.16;
temp, 58; sea smooth.

THE TIME BALL

The time ball on the Belmont build-
ing will be raised halfway at 12:45 at
the top at 12:55 and dropped at 1 p. m.
daily. F. Napier Denison, superinten-
dent, the Observatory, Gonzales
Heights.

WAS THROWN ON BEAM
ENDS IN HURRICANEBarque Inverclyde Reaches
Queenstown From Sound
After Passage of 177 Days

Seattle, Wash., June 9.—By the time
the British barque Inverclyde suc-
ceeded in approaching the German war-
zone around the United Kingdom with a
cargo of wheat from Seattle, her
officers and crew had reached a state
of mind where they had regarded sub-
marines as the least of their troubles.
Hurricanes, gales, head winds, pro-
tracted calms and other idiosyncrasies
of the elements combined to give Capt.
J. King, the master, and his officers
and men a touch of high life that
made the submarine menace seem rather
timid.

In one hurricane the Inverclyde was
on her beam ends for four days.
The barque arrived at Queenstown
near the end of May, after a passage
of 177 days from Seattle, probably the
slowest voyage made by any sailing
vessel from the North Pacific this year.
In a letter received yesterday by
Walter C. Bryant, of the Marine Sup-
ply company, which outfitted the
barque, Capt. King gives a vigorous
account of the trip.

Tremendous Hurricane.
After her departure from Seattle, all
went well with the Inverclyde until she
reached the South Pacific. A tremen-
dous hurricane then descended on the
vessel, hurling her about the sea with
a force that shifted the cargo. For the
next four days, the Inverclyde lay on
her beam ends, fighting a desperate
battle. The main hatch was washed
overboard into the sea. The vessel lay
so far over that the ends of the
topmasts yanked the water. Capt.
King said that the vessel and all on
board would be drowned unless he re-
sorted to strenuous measures, so he
jettisoned 200 tons of the wheat cargo.
This relieved the stress on the vessel
and after a rough fight he was able
to get her righted. The hurricane con-
tinued for some time, but the Inver-
clyde rode it out safely.

From then on the voyage became a
monotonous succession of calms, gales,
head winds and what not. All the way
to the Horn and from the Horn across
the Atlantic, the master and his men
had to combat one hostile condition or
another. The elements gave them no
rest. If it wasn't one thing, it was
something else.

Lucky in War Zone.
The war zone seemed to change the
vessel's luck. As she approached it, the
winds became favorable and although
submarines were active off the south
of Ireland at the time, she sailed into
Queenstown without being sighted by
any of the Kaiser's war-driers.

WORK ON BREAKWATER IS
PROCEEDING VERY WELL

A new record was created during the
month of May in the laying of granite
at the breakwater site. According to
statistics supplied yesterday by J. S.
MacLachlan, supervising engineer for
the Dominion government, a total of
7,253 tons of granite blocks were laid
last month, while 19,022 tons of rubble
were dumped on the foundations ex-
tending seaward. Also during the past
month, 1,234 cubic yards of concrete
were laid.

This brings the grand total completed
to date as follows: Rubble dumped,
634,441 tons; concrete, 241,255 tons, mak-
ing a total of 875,696 tons since operations
were started; granite blocks laid, 42,413
tons; concrete laid, 8,679 cubic yards.
The firm of Grant Smith & McDon-
nell, contractors for the government
piers, are also making good progress
on the contract.

The engineer's figures show that a
total of 4,357 tons of broken stone was
dumped for the foundations of the
piers during the month of May.

The third crib is under construction
at Rosebank. Steel is also being placed
on the ways for a commencement
on the floor of the fourth crib.

COASTER IN COLLISION.

London, June 9.—The coasting
steamer Gertrude, 353 tons, was sunk
off the Irish coast on Sunday in a
collision with the Ellerman liner City
of Vienna. The Gertrude's crew of nine
men were lost.

SAW BIG SCHOOLS OF
WHALES AND SEALSCapt. LeBlanc, of Quadra, Re-
ports Large Numbers in
B. C. Waters

Hundreds of whales and fur-seals
were sighted in Hecate Straits and
West Coast waters by Capt. LeBlanc,
master of the lighthouse tender
Quadra, which has just returned to
port. He says he has never seen so
many mammals in all his steamboat-
ing experience in these waters. The
whales and seals are keeping well in-
shore, which is an unusual course for
them.

The Quadra was running from Prince
Rupert to Skidegate Inlet when she en-
countered the seal herd. There were
hundreds of mammals, and Capt. Le-
Blanc's mind went back to his sealing
days. He pictured what a great kill-
ing he could have made if he had run
into the herd with a sealing schooner.
The captain has never seen so many
seals in inland waters before. They
must have become aware of the pe-
lagic sealing treaty of 1911 and are not
afraid to sport themselves in the
former sealing grounds.

Whales Are Plenty.
On her southbound voyage from
Prince Rupert the Quadra proceeded to
Skidegate Inlet, coasted to Cape St.
James, steamed to Milbank Sound,
headed for Cape Scott, and then came
home via the West Coast of Vancouver
Island. During that run Capt. Le-
Blanc says he sighted at least 200
whales. It was a revelation to him to
find so many leviathans of the deep
playing about so close inshore.

The whaling fleet did not go to sea
this season, owing to financial diffi-
culties. The mammals seem to have
visited this coast in larger numbers
than ever before in the history of the
industry. The whales were thickest in
Hecate Strait, but there were a great
many off the West Coast. If the whal-
ers had pursued their work this year
they might have secured record
catches.

RUPERT'S FISH TRADE
RAPIDLY INCREASING2,000,000 Pounds of Fish
Taken Last Month; Fifty
Yankee Boats Discharged

Prince Rupert's fishing industry con-
tinues to increase with great rapidity.
American fishermen are abandoning
Seattle as their port of discharge, and
are routing their cargoes into Prince
Rupert. During the month of May no
less than fifty Yankee boats ran in-
to the northern port to land their
catches. The Prince Rupert fleet
caught nearly 2,000,000 pounds of deep-
sea fish last month, including 1,497,100
pounds of halibut, which on a valuation
of five cents a pound, represents \$74,-
855.

The American schooners are taking
full advantage of the new fishing reg-
ulations which went into effect in
April. The catches can be sent from
Prince Rupert into the States without
payment of duty. The fishermen are
using the northern port, owing to its
nearness to the halibut banks. It elim-
inates the long run of two or three
days to Seattle. The power boats can
run from the banks to Prince Rupert
in seven hours. Most of them get their
supplies at Ketchikan, because of the
lower prices, but nevertheless, the mer-
chants of the G. T. P. town reap a net
little sum every month from the boats.

Look for Big Increase.

During the summer months Prince
Rupert is looking for a larger increase
than ever in the number of American
schooners which run in there to land
their fish. Seattle is gradually being
forsaken and in the future she will
only be able to draw on the fishing
banks off the west coast of Vancou-
ver island and the Columbia and Wash-
ington coasts.

The salmon season is commencing
to show signs of activity. Many of the
canneries have boats out, and the run
of springs is fair. Packing men expect
a very successful season. A great deal
of the spring catch is being packed in
ice at the Canadian Cold Storage Company's
plant at Seal Cove, Prince Rupert, and
sent through to the eastern markets.

The Pros of It.—"James, dear, will
you fetch some coal from the cellar?"
asked the busy wife. "Just the way
with you!" said James, with a black
frown, as he put down the book and
rose. "Just the way with me?" "Yes,"
he snapped. "As soon as you see me
enjoying myself, you have some job or
other for me to do. Didn't you see I
was absorbed in my book?" "Well,
dear, I'll do it myself." "Yes, and let
everybody's mother especially, that
you have to carry up your own
coal from the cellar! Yes, I'll do it.
Let me mark my place." So marking
the place in the book where he ceased
reading, he went out, grumbling all
the way. When he had gone, she
picked up the volume, and saw that
which he was interested. "My darling,
when you are my wife, I'll shield and
protect you from every care, the winds
of heaven shall not visit your face too
roughly, those pretty hands shall not
be soiled by mental tasks, your wish
shall be my law." Just then, he re-
appeared, and bumping the scuttle on
the floor, exclaimed: "There's your old
coal, give me my book!"

The Gaekwar of Baroda, an Indian
prince, has a battery of artillery consist-
ing of gold and silver guns. There are
four guns, two of gold and two of silver.

CADETS TO LAND ON
RETURN FROM FAIRGovernor Will Bring Washing-
ton Corps on Monday; Will
March Through Streets

Arrangements are now being made
to offer the freedom of the city to the
boys of the Washington State Cadet
College on their way home from San
Francisco. They are expected to ar-
rive here on Monday afternoon next
on board the Pacific Coast steamship
Governor, and will be allowed ashore
for two or three hours. The cadets
will march through the main thor-
oughfares of the city, headed by their
band.

The corps, which numbers 219, was
here for a brief period last Friday
evening. They were on board the Gov-
ernor en route to the Golden Gate. The
cadets are representing their college
in a competition amongst the soldier-
training institutions of the western
States. They will embark on the
Governor at the Bay city on Saturday
next, and will arrive here on Monday
about noon.

Fine Lot of Boys

The cadets are a fine looking set
of boys. They wear khaki uniforms
and caps, and carry rifles. It is
doubtful if they will parade with their
arms. The band which accompanies
the corps is exceptionally good, and
while the Governor was berthed here
last Friday, the boys recited off a num-
ber of patriotic airs, and received con-
siderable applause from persons on the
dock.

SHIPPING
INTELLIGENCE

San Francisco, June 8.—Arrived: Str.
Daisy, from Gray's Harbor; str.
Kronland, from New York; str. Daisy
Putnam and W. F. Herrin, from As-
toria; str. Shina-Yak, from Everett;
str. Beaver, from Portland; str. Mr.
Kanakuk, from Kobe; str. Matsonia,
from Honolulu; fr. barque La Roche-
forcaud, from Newcastle, Aust. Sail-
ed: Str. Shoshone, for Portland; str.
Sagoma, for Sydney.
Bellingham, June 8.—Sailed: Schr.
Encore, for Cape Town.
Tacoma, June 8.—Arrived: Str. Ad-
miral Farragut, from San Francisco,
via Seattle; str. Cordova, from South-
western Alaska; yacht Cyprus, from
Seattle. Sailed: Str. Wapama, for San
Francisco.

Portland, Ore., June 8.—Arrived: Str.
Saginaw and Johan Poulsen, from San
Francisco. Sailed: Str. Nevada, for
New York; fr. str. Epsom, from the
United Kingdom.
Flavel, Ore., June 8.—Sailed: Str.
Northern Pacific, for San Francisco;
Aberdeen, June 8.—Arrived: Str.
Carmel, from San Francisco; str. San
Ramon, from Everett.

San Pedro, June 8.—Steamer Peter
H. Crowell arrived to-day from New
York with cargo for the Lumberbach
line and will proceed to San Fran-
cisco to-morrow. Steamer Montanan,
of the American-Hawaiian line, pro-
ceeded to San Francisco, after dis-
charging a partial cargo from New
York and Boston. Lumber carriers
arriving to-day were: Steamer Daisy
Gadsby, from Grays Harbor; steamer
Prentiss, from Eureka. The steamer
Northland sailed for Redondo Beach
with a partial cargo loaded at Willapa
Harbor and the steamer Avalon sailed
for San Diego with the balance of her
cargo from Puget Sound. The Asso-
ciated Oil tanker, W. S. Porter, sailed
early to-day for Meadow Point with a
cargo of crude oil loaded at the general
petroleum station.

Astoria, Ore., June 8.—Arrived:
Steamer Despatch, from Seattle;
steamers Johan Poulsen and Saginaw,
from San Francisco. Sailed: Steam-
ers J. A. Chanslor and Northern Pa-
cific, for San Francisco.

Seattle, June 8.—Arrived: Str. Mari-
posa, Southwestern, via Southeastern
Alaska; str. Fulton, British Columbia
ports; str. Admiral Farragut, Tacoma.
Sailed: Str. Congress, San Diego, via
San Francisco; str. Spokane, South-
eastern Alaska; yacht Cyprus, Tacoma;
str. Pennsylvanian, west coast for
orders; str. Admiral Farragut, Tac-
oma; str. Al-Ki, Southeastern Alaska;
str. President, Vancouver, B. C.; U. S.
L. S. Swiftsure, Swiftsure bank; str.
Prince Rupert, Prince Rupert, via way
ports.

Hongkong, June 2.—Sailed: Str.
Titan, for Seattle, via Yokohama.
Charleston, June 8.—Arrived: Str.
Iowan, from Portland, Ore.

Balboa, June 6.—Arrived: Str. Plei-
ades, from San Francisco for New
York, and proceeded; str. Pennsylv-
anian, from San Francisco.

Cristobal, June 8.—Arrived: Str.
Merchant, from Liverpool for San
Francisco, and proceeded.

Two neighbors kept hens and quar-
reled because they scratched each other's
potato rows up. One sold his hens un-
known to the other, who made a large
run and fastened his hens up, saying:
"Now the first hen I see in my gar-
den I shall shoot." Next day he saw a
hen scratching as usual, so he got the
gun and shot it, then threw it over
his neighbor's rails, saying, "Take your
hen!" The hen was picked up, taken
in and cooked. The following day the
same thing happened. Still the neighbor
took them up and said nothing,
till the seventh came over and hit him
on the head. Then he picked it up, and
threw it back at his neighbor, saying,
"Eat your old hens. We are tired of
eating them, and prefer a little phas-
ant."—I sold my hens over a month
since!

Agent (to actor): "Then we'll con-
sider that settled!" Actor: "But we
what about the contract?" Agent:
"Oh, that's all right. A verbal con-
tract'll do." Actor: "Ladlie, listen.
The last time I had a verbal contract
I drew a verbal salary!"

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Halifax, N. S. 29.25
Hamilton, Ont. 92.00
Kansas City, Mo. 60.00
London, Ont. 85.00
Minneapolis, Minn. 60.00
Montreal, P. Q. 150.75
New York, N. Y. \$19.75
Omaha, Neb. 60.00
Ottawa, Ont. 102.50
St. John, N. B. 129.00
St. Louis, Mo. 71.25
St. Paul, Minn. 60.00
Toronto, Ont. 32.50
Washington, D. C. 188.25
Winnipeg, Man. 60.00

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toria 6.50 a. m.Secure information and tickets
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DEEP SEA ARRIVALS

Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	From	Due
Student	Connor	2,394	Balfour, Guthrie	Liverpool	June 10
Titan	Reed	5,930	Doddwell & Co.	Hongkong	June 7
Seattle Maru	Saito	3,800	H. P. Rithet	Hongkong	June 11
Awa Maru	Hori	2,900	G. Northern	Hongkong	June 16
Shidzuka Maru	Doguchi	4,200	G. Northern	Hongkong	June 24
Kentra	Turner	3,600	H. W. Ores	New York	June 25
Mexico Maru	Kobayashi	3,800	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	July 2
Makura	Phillips	4,200	C. P. R.	Sydney	July 1
Aki Maru	Noma	4,300	G. Northern	Hongkong	July 11

DEEP-SEA DEPARTURES

Niagara	C. P. R.	Sydney	June 8
Seattle Maru	R. P. Rithet	H'g'g	June 12
Sado Maru	G. N.	Hongkong	June 15
Titan	Doddwell & Co.	Hongkong	June 25

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LOT, corner of Cook and Hillside, feet on Hillside by 170 on Cook; trade equity of \$6,000 for clear small farm, or easy terms cash. AP 3066, Times.

FOR SALE—Twelve lots on Scott's Myrtle street, block 54, Oaklands; side 56 ft. lots \$400; corners, \$500; 10 lots, \$1,000; balance \$150 monthly, 7 cent. interest. Apply 1675 Hillside A or 820 Humboldt St.

FOR SALE—HOUSES

FOR SALE—Three roomed cottage, sewer, water light hot air; price \$1, easy terms. Apply 2053 Meadow Pl. Oak Bay.

SNAP—7-room house, block from Dard road, James Bay, one minute car to assume mortgage \$2,500 due 1975; cash for equity; total taxes about. Apply Box 1672, Times.

ESTATE OF HELEN G. R. M'INTOSH DECEASED.

All persons having claims against the Estate are required to send particulars thereof, duly verified; and all persons indebted to the Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the undersigned on or before the 28th of June, 1915.

Dated the 28th day of May, 1915.

JACKSON & BAKER,
Solicitors for the Executor, David M'Intosh.

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PROVINCIAL ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL.

Incorporated 1890.

The annual meeting of the donors & subscribers to the institution will be held in the City Hall, Victoria, on Thursday June 24, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Business—Receiving the annual report of the directors, the treasurer's statement for the year ending May 31, 1915, and election of directors.

The four following directors retire, are eligible for re-election: Mrs. Rhod Mrs. Weiler, Messrs. J. A. Mara and E. Oliver.

Donors and subscribers can vote after 40 members only.

All donors of money, \$50 and upward and annual subscribers of \$5 and upward are eligible to vote for the election directors.

G. F. CARVER

June 4, 1915.

TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT.

Tax statements have been mailed to persons whose names appear on Assessment Roll of the Township Esquimalt. Any person owning property in the above mentioned Township who has not received a statement of tax should communicate at once with the undersigned.

G. H. PULLEN,
Treasurer and Collector

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Victoria, June 2—5 a. m.—The barometer is steadily falling; this province a fine weather is general throughout the Pacific slope, while in Kootenay high temperatures may be expected. Rain falling in Alberta and Saskatchewan.

Forecasts.

For 26 hours ending 5 p. m. Thursday: Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong westerly winds, fine to-day and on Thursday, maximum yesterday, 65; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fine to-day and on Thursday higher temperature.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.19; temperature, maximum yesterday, 65; minimum, wind, 16 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, maximum yesterday, 65; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 46; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 42; wind, calm; rain, .18; weather, fair.

New Hazelton—Barometer, maximum yesterday, 62; rain, .13.

Tatoush—Barometer, 30.30; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, wind, 20 miles S.; weather, clear.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, fair.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, maximum yesterday, 61; minimum, wind, 5 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, clear.

Temperatures.

	Max	M
Victoria	66	48
Cranbrook	66	48
Barkerville	71	54
Fort George	59	52
Pentiction	72	52
Nelson	78	58
Calgary	65	48
Edmonton	59	48
Qu'Appella	62	52
Winnipeg	54	48
Toronto	70	50
Ottawa	76	50
Montreal	75	50
Halifax	64	54

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and p. m., Tuesday:

Temperature.

Highest	66
Lowest	48
Average	56
Minimum on grass	54
Maximum in sun	70
Bright sunshine, 8 hours 54 minutes	
General state of weather	FAIR

The arithmetic lesson that day had been hard and trying, and now, at the closing hour, Tommy stood before his teacher, waiting to hear results. "You made a bad mistake," said the teacher. "The problem was wrong," was the answer he heard. "You will have to stay after school and do it again," Tommy looked at the clock. "Tell me, please, how much am I out?" he asked. "You answer is twopence short," Tommy said, looking into the pocket where he most treasured possessions, were a few pennies. "You are right," said the teacher. "From a bunch of shoestrings, a penknife and some marbles and pieces of chalk, 'I'm in a hurry, please,'" said, "If you don't mind, I'll pay the difference."

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Financial News

CANADA CONSOLIDATED FURTHER SELLING IN WALL STREET ISSUES

Portland Sales at Two Cents and Leaders Firm at Today's Session

Speculative Dealings Not Constructive in Character; List Uneasy

Canadian Consolidated bids almost reached par, while prospective offerings were well above the one hundred dollar mark. Five hundred Portland Canal sold at 2c flat, which was the best selling price of months. Most of the price-makers settled down into abeyance without sacrificing recent gains. The demand in issues that have shown conspicuous strength of late was every bit as pronounced, especially in the leaders, namely, Canadian, McGillivray and Portland Canal.

Granby's set-back of a point was a reflection of irregularity in American markets, where all standard issues had nervous action.

Bid	Asked
Blackbird Syndicate	14.00
B. C. Refining Co.	70
Can. Copper Co.	1.00 1.25
Crow's Nest Coal	50.00
Can. Cons. S. & R.	50.00
Consolidated Gold	1.00 1.25
Granby	1.00 1.25
Int. Coal & Coke Co.	1.00 1.25
Lucky Jim Zinc	1.00 1.25
McGillivray Coal	1.00 1.25
Nugget Gold	1.00 1.25
Portland Canal	1.00 1.25
Rancher Caribou	1.00 1.25
Red Cliff	1.00 1.25
Standard Lead	1.00 1.25
Stewart M. & D.	1.00 1.25
Stewart Land	1.00 1.25
Victoria Phoenix Brew.	1.00 1.25

Bid	Asked
American Marconi	2.00
Canadian Marconi	1.00 1.50
Glacier Creek	1.00
Island Investment	2.00
Union Club (deb.)	20.00

MONTREAL STOCKS

(Supplied by McDougall & Cowans)

Montreal, June 9.—Today's market was somewhat nervous, being affected by the weakness of the New York board. Trading, however, was very light, with the price changes limited. Uncertainty seems to rule operators' opinions at the present time, and this market may work lower in sympathy with New York, still, it is doubted, the future trend of this market will be towards higher prices.

Bid	Asked
B. C. Packers	115
Bell Telephone	115
Brazil	54
Dominion Bridge	131
Canada Cement	131
Do. pref.	131
Canadian Pacific	101 1/2
Can. Cotton, com.	23
Do. pref.	73
Crown Reserve	34
Canadian Consol.	34
Can. Car. Fy.	122
Cedar Rapids	67
Detroit United	67
Dominion Canners	33 1/2
Dom. Iron & Steel Corp.	32
Do. pref.	73
Ill. Traction	61
Lake of the Woods, com.	135
Laurentide	142
A. McDonald Co.	82
Mackay, com.	220
Montreal Power	41
Mexican Light, com.	41
Nova Scotia Steel	65
Ogilvie Flour, com.	122
Ottawa Power	120

Bid	Asked
Quebec Railway	9
Can. S. & S.	9
Shawinigan	120
Sherwin Williams, com.	55
Do. pref.	59
So. Cons.	115
Steel Co. Canada, com.	75
Toronto Railway	111
Tucker's Tobacco	29
Twin City	130
Winnipeg Electric	31
Wayside	80
Cedar Bonds	80

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)				Yukon	21
.....				Winnipeg	41
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Jan.	10.10	10.11	10.12	10.13
Feb.	10.10	10.11	10.12	10.13
Mar.	10.10	10.11	10.12	10.13
Apr.	10.10	10.11	10.12	10.13
May	10.10	10.11	10.12	10.13
June	10.10	10.11	10.12	10.13
July	10.10	10.11	10.12	10.13
Aug.	10.10	10.11	10.12	10.13
Sept.	10.10	10.11	10.12	10.13
Oct.	10.10	10.11	10.12	10.13
Nov.	10.10	10.11	10.12	10.13
Dec.	10.10	10.11	10.12	10.13

METAL MARKET.	
New York, June 2.—The metals market was quiet, with prices generally unchanged. Copper, 100 lbs. 10.10; tin, 100 lbs. 10.10; lead, 100 lbs. 10.10; zinc, 100 lbs. 10.10; aluminum, 100 lbs. 10.10; iron, 100 lbs. 10.10; steel, 100 lbs. 10.10; brass, 100 lbs. 10.10; nickel, 100 lbs. 10.10; chrome, 100 lbs. 10.10; manganese, 100 lbs. 10.10; cobalt, 100 lbs. 10.10; vanadium, 100 lbs. 10.10; niobium, 100 lbs. 10.10; tantalum, 100 lbs. 10.10; molybdenum, 100 lbs. 10.10; tungsten, 100 lbs. 10.10; barium, 100 lbs. 10.10; strontium, 100 lbs. 10.10; calcium, 100 lbs. 10.10; magnesium, 100 lbs. 10.10; sodium, 100 lbs. 10.10; potassium, 100 lbs. 10.10; lithium, 100 lbs. 10.10; beryllium, 100 lbs. 10.10; boron, 100 lbs. 10.10; silicon, 100 lbs. 10.10; germanium, 100 lbs. 10.10; arsenic, 100 lbs. 10.10; selenium, 100 lbs. 10.10; tellurium, 100 lbs. 10.10; iodine, 100 lbs. 10.10; bromine, 100 lbs. 10.10; chlorine, 100 lbs. 10.10; fluorine, 100 lbs. 10.10; oxygen, 100 lbs. 10.10; nitrogen, 100 lbs. 10.10; carbon, 100 lbs. 10.10; hydrogen, 100 lbs. 10.10; helium, 100 lbs. 10.10; neon, 100 lbs. 10.10; 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STILL WILL SUPPORT PRESIDENT WILSON

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Mr. Bryan told his colleagues to-day as they gathered about him in farewell that his affection for President Wilson was unchanged and that he knew the president felt as warmly toward him. Firmly believing that he can advance the cause of peace outside of official life and build up a sentiment in the United States that will assist the president in maintaining friendly relations with all nations, Mr. Bryan to-day went back to private life.

The resignation of the secretary of state of the United States over a difference of opinion on a vital question of foreign policy—its own history in the annals of American history—was most dramatically touched by numerous manifestations of personal regard for Mr. Bryan and his own emotion at leaving the office he held so dearly. Tears stood in his eyes while friends commended his courageous fight for his principles and his determination to eliminate himself rather than continue in the cabinet as a possible embarrassment to the president.

The story of his fight to sway the president's judgment on the method of dealing with the situation with Germany is untold as yet. He made no effort to alien other members of the cabinet with him.

For three days—from Saturday to Monday—the president had Mr. Bryan's resignation under consideration but the secretary did not go to yesterday's meeting until the president's letter of acceptance had reached him. The president had invited him to attend after letting the cabinet know of the situation.

Quietly the consideration of the note continued and at the end of the meeting the president and the remaining members of the cabinet expressed to Mr. Bryan their sense of personal regret.

The close personal relationship of Mr. Bryan and the president will be reflected in the former secretary's future course. It was learned to-day authoritatively, Mr. Bryan intends to continue a staunch political supporter of Mr. Wilson on Democratic affairs and believes he can even assist him in the sentiment he hopes to build up for the principle of investigation of disputes before hostilities are begun.

Mr. Bryan contends that it would be better to submit the entire question to an investigating committee and, pending its deliberations, have Americans refrain from taking passage on ships of either a contraband or which intend to violate the neutrality laws.

President Wilson is said to have been opposed to that idea, not only because he believes the United States, in effect, thereby would be yielding rights under international law, but because he believes that such a move would do so were current to-day, but not flatly denied on all sides. The report, it is said, grew out of the well-known friendship of Mr. Bryan and Mr. Wilson.

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FIVE BLOCKS DESTROYED BY FIRE AT PORTLAND

Damage Estimated at More Than \$300,000; Flames Were Discovers at 1 a. m.

Portland, Ore., June 9.—Five blocks on the waterfront, just south of the east approach to the Burnside bridge, were completely destroyed by fire here early to-day. The damage is estimated at over \$300,000. Mills and warehouses covered the principal part of the area destroyed.

The flames were discovered at 1 a. m., and were not under control until nearly four hours later. The heaviest losses were suffered by the Standard Box & Lumber Company, estimated by the superintendent at \$250,000.

The Acme Planing Mill Company's loss is \$100,000 and that of Page & Son, who operated a commission warehouse, \$10,000. Five freight cars in the Southern Pacific and O-W yards were burned badly and the freight house used jointly by the two railroads was damaged also. The estimated loss includes that of the box factory and planing mill, a vast quantity of lumber and smaller plants which were consumed, as well as the damage to telephone and wire service and the South-eastern Pacific and railroad equipment.

A more spectacular conflagration has not been witnessed in Portland for years. Twenty-two fire companies were engaged in fighting the flames, while the fire boats David Campbell and George H. Williams turned their efforts toward saving the municipal dock and other waterfront property. Many persons were threatened when a pole carrying live wires burned and fell. The explosion of an oil tank in the Standard Company's plant drove the firemen back for a time.

The 130 Southern Pacific train for California was held up by the fire just as it was leaving the city and it was necessary at 3 a. m. to re-route the train by the west side.

TRIAL OF NERLICH IS GOING ON AT TORONTO

Toronto, June 9.—The trial of Emil Nerlich, charged with treason, was begun this morning, 1. F. Hellmuth, K. C., being counsel for Nerlich. The first count, that charging that he assisted Arthur Zirkow, to join the forces of the enemy, was taken first.

A strong protest was entered by counsel for the defence against the procedure adopted by the crown counsel in calling Dr. Hoffman Henry Peters, former German consul, and Otto Hoppe before any evidence was given, asking them no questions and leaving them to the defence for cross-examination. Mr. Hellmuth characterized the procedure as unworthy the dignity of the crown, as it meant that the defence would have to put in its case before the case for the crown was entered.

Mr. Justice Sutherland referred to it as an extraordinary course, but stated that he was powerless to interfere.

Evidence was given by Henry Nerlich, brother of the accused. He also was called by the crown.

ELEVEN HUNDRED IDLE; ALIENS BEING INTERVIEWED

Ferne, June 9.—The miners who refused to go to work yesterday morning on account of Austrians and Germans being employed by the company at the Coal Creek mines here, were granted a holiday to-day in order to come to a settlement. As nothing of a satisfactory nature had been concluded, they ignored the company's order to go to work this morning, and as a result the eleven hundred employees are virtually on strike.

The officer commanding the local military unit was instructed late last night to intern immediately all un-naturalized, single and married male enemy aliens whose wives reside in the old country. Austrians and Germans and police are now actively engaged in obeying these instructions.

GUNBOAT WAS SUNK; TRANSPORT CAPTURED

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MUST SERVE SENTENCES

New Brunswick, N. J., June 9.—Nine deputies convicted of manslaughter in connection with the killing of two strikers and the wounding of many others last January at Roosevelt, N. J., have been sentenced to serve not less than two years and not more than ten years in state's prison.

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MELLOR APARTMENTS, 321 Broughton street, adjoining Royal Victoria Theatre. To let, modern apartments (unfurnished), hot water and hot water heating. Apply Mellor Bros. Ltd., 819 Broughton street.

LOST—Signet ring, Welsh motto. Finder please leave word at Sweeney's Drug Store, corner King's road and Douglas. Reward.

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TO LET—Stable and shack. 526 Humboldt.

FOR SALE—Chalmers, 36 h. p., 5-passenger, late 1913 torpedo model, as good as new. Box 1675, Times.

HOUSE FOR RENT—New, 5 roomed house, corner Garbally and Gorge roads, nice garden, garage, 10 minutes' walk to town. \$18. Phone 5011.

AUTOMOBILE—A large, roomy, 5-passenger, Roadster, Dayton car, \$400, terms. 707 Fort street.

OAK BAY CYCLE WORKS—Bicycles repaired. 1836 Oak Bay avenue.

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MOTORCYCLE, bicycle and supply store, 50 Yates. Repair parts for all makes. Agents for Eagle motorcycles.

FOR RENT—6 roomed house, Superior street, James Bay, \$12. Box 1681, Times.

FIVE ACRES, Shannigan, part in clover, fenced three sides in exchange for automobile and some cash. Box 1682, Times.

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VISITED NEW CAMP AT VERNON LAST WEEK

Colonel Ogilvie, D. O. C., is Back From Okanagan; Many Troops in Camp

Colonel Ogilvie, D. O. C., has returned from a five days' visit to the new concentration camp at Vernon, B. C., where a small portion of the troops ultimately to be stationed there are already encamped. Among these is the Army Service Corps; also the remainder of the 47th Battalion under Lt.-Col. Winsby, who has had two calls for reinforcement detachments from his forces during the past month, and now has in command only about half of his original unit. A mounted regiment, the 11th C. M. R., in command of Col. Kilpatrick, is also encamped, at the new grounds, which are already splendidly organized and arranged for the accommodation of a big military force.

A report states the confirmation of the promotion of Lieut.-Col. J. Duff Stuart, commander of the 23rd Brigade, to the rank of colonel on his appointment as commandant of the Vernon camp. Another appointment of provincial and Dominion interest is that of Dr. F. F. Westbrook, president of the British Columbia University, who was granted a commission as a lieutenant a short time ago, to the rank of captain with the 10th Regiment (East Kootenay).

Vancouver papers foresee the appointment of Lieut.-Col. H. D. Hume, of Connaught's Own Rifles, to the command of the new 62nd Battalion which is to be raised in British Columbia as soon as instructions are finally sent out for the recruiting to commence. The 62nd, like the 47th and 54th, will be made up of quotas recruited in all parts of the province, and will join the other overseas troops now training at Vernon. Colonel Hume volunteered for active service several months ago.

The bandmaster of the 11th C. M. R. at Vernon is advertising for bandmen for that regiment. A bounty will be paid to good men with their own instruments.

The 48th Battalion now boasts a strong band of its own, this organization, which is in charge of Sgt. Meade, having been in existence just about a week. On Monday night the Garrison at the Willows had the pleasure for the first time of hearing the newly-formed band play in the grounds, and it is hoped in the course of time to build up the membership to a much larger number, as at present there are about six instruments only.

The 48th Battalion left the Willows camp at about 7:30 this morning, in command of Major Beale, for a route march in the direction of Colwood, and are returning this afternoon about 4 o'clock. The entire battalion went out, so the camp this morning presented rather a deserted appearance.

Up to Friday there had enlisted in the 54th Kootenay and Boundary Battalions 750 men, two-thirds of the number required. Fernie had exceeded its required number by two, and Revelstoke by four. Nelson was but five short of its 250, and these have since been obtained. Kamloops is still a long way behind, but it has to be recalled that the 102nd Rocky Mountain Rangers and the 31st British Columbia Horse came from that district, and were exempted from the recruiting drive.

The 54th is under orders to move to the concentration camp at Vernon this week.

Erskine Church Social.—Under the auspices of Erskine Presbyterian church, a strawberry social will be held at the home of Mrs. Mannix, Douglas street (near Boleskine road), on Saturday, June 19, from 3 p. m. continuing throughout the evening. There will be a musical programme.

In English Hospital.—William Dee, superintendent of the government telegraph on Vancouver island, has received a wire from the adjutant-general stating that his son, Lance-Corporal John Dee, who was wounded recently, has been removed from the Boulogne hospital, France, to the Southern General hospital, at Edg-baston, Eng.

Ran Down Chinaman.—In the city police court this afternoon A. E. Watson is being charged with driving his motor car on the wrong side of Government street on the morning of May 15. Yee Wo Chow, who was riding on a bicycle at the time, was knocked down in front of the Weiler store and badly hurt. He has been in the hospital since, and the case has been postponed until he was able to attend.

WOMEN'S TOURNAMENT DRAWS TENNIS STARS OF ENTIRE NATION

Philadelphia, June 8.—Boston, New York, California and Norway carried off the honors in the opening rounds of the annual tournament for the women's lawn tennis championship of the United States, which opened on the courts of the Philadelphia Cricket club yesterday.

Matches with comparative ease. Included in the list were Miss Mollie Bjurstedt, the rising Norwegian star and holder of the national title, and Miss Mabel Hotchkiss, who, as Miss Mabel Hotchkiss, won the national title in 1909, 1910 and 1911; Mrs. Marshall McLean, of Morrisstown, N. J., who won the Pennsylvania and eastern states titles last week; Miss Eleanor Sears, of Boston; Mrs. Theodore Cassebeer, of New York; and Miss Anne W. Sheafe, of Boston.

Mrs. C. N. Beard, runner-up in the state tournament, was the only Philadelphia player of prominence to survive yesterday's play.

Present champion, will not defend her title. Play in the championship doubles, mixed doubles, and men's invitation competition singles starts to-day. The tournament will continue until Saturday.

WILL BE RESERVED UNTIL END OF WAR

Germany Must Answer for Violations of Laws of Humanity, Says Balfour

London, June 9.—In announcing that a German submarine had been sunk, Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour, first lord of the admiralty, did not state when or where it had been sent down. He merely said it had been sunk recently.

In announcing that German submarine prisoners hereafter will be treated in the same way as other prisoners of war in the British Isles, Mr. Balfour said:

"While this does not change British opinion as to the character of the acts and those persons who are concerned, it must be remembered that submarine attacks on defenceless vessels are not the only violations of the laws of humanity of which the Germans are guilty and the government is therefore of the opinion that submarine problems cannot be isolated now and that the general question of responsibility should be reserved until the end of the war."

Mr. Balfour added that the government's decision would be communicated to Germany through the American embassy.

KILLED IN ACTION.

London, June 9.—The Russian embassy announced to-day the death of Count Peter Benckendorff, Russian ambassador at London. The count, who was a colonel in the Russian Horse Guards, was shot through the neck in an action near Kovno.

MANY WERE KILLED.

Athens, June 9.—Dispatches from Tenedos to-day report that nine of the allies' hydroplanes bombed Akbasch, the Turkish base on the Gallipoli peninsula. Many soldiers are believed to have perished under their rain of bombs.

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At Boston—R. H. E.
Detroit 15 17 1
Boston 9 5 2
Batteries—Dauess, Steen and Baker; Collins, Pennock and Carrigan.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Pittsburgh—R. H. E.
Boston 3 8 1
Pittsburg 7 9 1
Batteries—Tyler, Crutcher, Hess and Whaling; Gowdy; Mamaux and Gibson.
At Cincinnati—R. H. E.
Brooklyn 5 11 2
Cincinnati 1 7 3
Batteries—Pfeiffer and McCarty; Douglass, Toney and Clark.
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Philadelphia 4 10 0
Chicago 3 9 0
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VANCOUVER DRIVING CLUB'S NEW OFFICERS

An ordinary general meeting of the Vancouver Amateur Driving association was held in the city hall, when President G. B. Anderson and Secretary D. W. F. McDonald handed in their resignations, which were accepted.

Mr. E. C. Davidson was elected president and Mr. W. C. Brown secretary pro tem, until the return of Assistant Secretary P. W. Truesdale.

It is understood that at the present time it is understood that the president and secretary resigned on account of dissatisfaction of the members, who thought that several meetings which were called off by these officers on the 1st and 2nd of June were unnecessary.

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account of the bad weather should have been proceeded with.

Mr. Anderson was prevailed upon at the meeting last night to still retain his position as starter.

The General was riding along on a cold and miserable day when a dilapidated soldier, his clothes in rags, with no shoes, his head bandaged and his army in a sling, came in sight. The General stopped. "Why, my good fellow, you seem to be pretty well done up." "Yes, sir; I am just a bit," said the soldier. Then looking up at the general, he said: "General, I love my country. I'd fight for my country. I'd starve and go to prison for my country. But I've never waited till I came."

The other morning Jones turned up at the office even later than usual. His employer, tired of waiting for him, had himself set about registering the day's transactions, usually Jones's first duty. The enraged merchant laid his pen aside very deliberately and said to Jones, very sternly indeed: "Jones, the will you do for me?" "Yes, sir," said Jones, gaily, drawing off his overcoat as he glanced over his employer's shoulder. "It will not. You have entered up my name in the wrong book altogether. Far better to be late for my country. But it ever have waited till I came."

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LEAVING IN JULY

Ladies' Committee Passes Resolution of Appreciation; Pound Party June 18

The Ladies' committee of the Protestant Orphanage held its regular meeting on Monday, Mrs. McTavish, the president, in the chair. Final arrangements were made for the annual pound party to be held at the home on Friday, June 18, from 3 to 6 p. m. Gifts of provisions, etc., will be welcomed. Afternoon tea will be served, and a programme given by the children. Street cars and jitneys pass the home, and a generous response to the invitation given the public to help the home on that day is expected.

A much regretted matter of business at the meeting was the acceptance of the resignation of Mrs. Kay, the matron, this to take effect at the end of July. The resolution was coupled with a very warm expression of ap-

preciation of the services and motherly interest taken by the retiring officer.

The report of the house committee stated that the spring cleaning was now completed. The Affiliated Friendly Societies association which entertained the children on Empire Day at the sports at Oak Bay park, was cordially thanked for their interest. The report stated that one of the girls from the home had been placed in service.

Mrs. Todd and Toller were appointed visitors, and bills amounting to \$346.18 were ordered paid. Donations as follows were gratefully acknowledged: R. A. Brown, 5; Miss Rendall, 5; "Cloverdale," 100 lbs. sugar; Hon. James Dunsmuir, five sacks potatoes; Mrs. J. W. Spencer, eight pairs shoes, ice cream and cake; "Friend," books and clothing; Messrs. Slade & Company, oranges; St. Luke's Church, cake; Red Cross Society, Ward 2, cake; Mrs. Carr, clothing and sewing; Mrs. Dorman, shoes; Agnes Deane, camera; Charles L. O. D. E., clothing; Ladies' Bible Class, Congregational Church, cake; "Friend," rhubarb; Mrs. S. R. Newton, case dried apples; Mrs. Nicolls, gooseberries, eggs and lettuce; Mrs. W. R. Higgins, clothing and case strawberries; Mrs. G. A. McTavish, clothing; "Friend," salmon; Mrs. Muir, apples; Mrs. S. A. Spencer, 36 jars jam; Women's Canadian Club, ice cream, cake and bread; Mrs. Lewis Hall and Bryant, professional services; Affiliated Friendly Societies association, sports, tally-ho ride and refreshments; Colonist, Times and S. P. C. A. Magazine, subscriptions.

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"LEGITIMATE" STAR MADE MANY SUCCESSES

Miss Sarah Padden, Appearing at Pantages, Says Proper Drama Will Return

A fantastic collection of pastries which the Times reporter innocently mistook for a deliberately selected feast was the basis of an introduction to Miss Sarah Padden, the leading lady in this week's sketch at Pantages theatre: "The Little Shepherd of Bargain Row." The exhibition was daintily arranged on the table of her dressing-room, and at first sight gave an impression that she was about to begin supper. But her explanation that the culinary display was simply the result of a foraging expedition on the part of some of the men of the company interested in the range of Chinese cookery in the city, was borne out by the fresh and healthy complexion of one who could not be suspected of such digestive indulgences.

A charming and pleasing personality off the stage no doubt accounts much for Miss Padden's success in drama. She started her stage career seven years ago with Oda Skinner in "The Honor of the Family." After that she understudied Helen Ware in "The Third Degree" for one season, subsequently taking the leading part for a season. Later she appeared in Margaret Illington's part in "Kindling," then for a season in "Lavender and Old Lace," the dramatization of Myrtle Reade's well-known novel. Another production in which she appeared was "Dannie Jeffries," and now, last of all, "The Little Shepherd of Bargain Row." This is a "ballet-drama" version of Howard McKent Barnes' three-act drama in which she starred for three weeks at the beginning of the present season. But "the legitimate," as Miss Padden says, has gone into temporary unpopularity. So the three-act drama had to be sacrificed, and in its place the sketch was created and started off on the vaudeville circuit.

Apropos of this curious fickleness of the public Miss Padden had interesting observations to make. The "legitimate" drama, she said, was bound to come back to favor again. It was not safe to predict how soon. But the public was capricious and inconsistent in its likes. Motoring, moving-pictures, variety theatres, the Victrola, and all the overdone novelties of the last decade would in time suffer oblivion or neglect, just as fads of twenty years ago or less.

The thoughtfulness of this observation threw a sidelight on Miss Padden's personality. Educated in St. Gabriel's academy, a nun's school in the stock-yards district of Chicago, she has much of the reflectiveness and shyness of those who live more or less the life of the recluse. A protégé of the late Father Maurice J. Dorney, the famous Chicago priest who did such magnificent social work in the big stock-yards area, she lost, at his death, her dearest and most sympathetic friend. It was, strangely enough, through the mother superior in the school that she received her first encouragement to go on the stage. Father Dorney recognized her talent, which had something akin to his own gift of eloquence, and was among the admirers of her work. But he saw something else beneath which he thought had greater powers for good, and three years after she went on the stage he told her that she should belong to the sisterhood.

Miss Padden has at least one hobby, golf. A member of the Wheaton golf club, of Chicago, she entered last year in the Women's Western Golf tournament, finishing well up near the top. She has won several prizes and trophies at the principal clubs all over the United States, and always carries a caddy full of clubs to be able to play whenever a chance gam offers. This is, in fact, the first summer she has not been free to spend all her time on the links.

BOXER IS FINED

Stanley James Pleads Provocation but Not of Legal Sort, and Has to Pay.

Stanley James, who has considerable local reputation as an amateur boxer, was this morning a defendant in the police court at the instance of Edward Humphreys, an engineer, and charged with the breaking of works for whom he had been acting as fireman. Humphreys told the magistrate that on Sunday evening James had committed an assault on him as he had been passing the corner of Fort and Douglas streets. There were no words between them at the time, James simply walking up to him and striking him several blows in the face. James claimed that he had acted under provocation, but the provocation he considered he had was not what the law looks upon as such. His story was that some days ago he had words with another man on the works, but declined to fight with him. Humphreys put about a tale that he had "cold feet," and this led to his being humiliated, and left the employ of the firm. James was fined \$10 for two years.

The court pointed out that even if Humphreys had been the cause of a dismissal instead of the voluntary leaving of James, this would not have constituted provocation. A fine of \$10 was imposed and paid.

FAVORS IRRIGATION OF PENINSULA LANDS

Saanich Council Appoints Committee to Take Up Question

Councillor Grant, speaking at the Saanich council meeting last evening of the proposal of Commissioner Cuthbert to establish an irrigation scheme for Saanich, stated that ten times the number of people could be raising produce at a profit, instead of at a loss as they were at present, if it could be found possible to finance the scheme. "It is an occasion which demands the aid of the government under the co-operative scheme for farmers," he added. "I am certain that the scheme could be profitably arranged under a suitable system. We could deliver water at nine cents per thousand gallons profitably to the farmers."

Councillor Tanner: "The farmer could not pay it on grain or grass, but on fruit or vegetables it would be possible."

"There has been too much whisky and too little water in Saanich affairs," said Councillor Borden amid laughter, "and the best way would be to fill up Elk lake as the reservoir, and use the existing mains as a distributing service to those people who are able to receive it from there."

Councillor Adams made an inquiry as to the cost of the scheme, but Reeve McGregor said it would be practically impossible, with the abundance of the Sooke supply at nominal rates. He believed the scheme could be introduced if a committee was appointed on the matter.

Councillor Borden praised the irrigation proposal, provided the scheme was not forced, but the public educated to understand its value.

All the councillors agreed that the first move in the matter must be from the Saanich municipality. It was decided, in order to avoid rush and grass fees to give instructions to the chief of police, as fire warden, to refuse fire permits now that the dry weather had come. Reference was made to the recent outbreaks.

H. A. Maclean, K. C., attended to secure a re-arrangement for the widening of a road through the Sluggert property to the beach at Saanich Inlet, to give access to the beach, widening it out from 30 to 40 feet. Application will be made to the land registry office for approval of the amended plans.

A letter was received from a resident of Mount Tolmie road, who pointed out that as the road had recently been repaired, it would be an economy as well as a convenience to have the road oiled. Councillor Borden strongly supported the use of oil as a means of prolonging the life of the road.

It was decided to notify the writer that the road would be oiled at an early date.

No steps will be taken at present to proceed with the surveys of the sewers, in connection with the northwest sewer system.

Tenders for some small castings for the waterworks were referred to the water committee, with power to act.

EIGHTIETH ROTARY MEETING.

Robert Hetherington Will Speak at the Lunch at Empress Hotel To-morrow.

The eightieth meeting of the Victoria Rotary club will be held to-morrow at 12:30 o'clock at the Empress hotel. Lunch will be served in the ballroom. Robert Hetherington, one of the recently elected members is to be heard in a talk on home building. Mr. Hetherington is a builder, and has had many years' experience in the work.

The first meeting of the Rotary club at the Empress hotel was held last Thursday, and despite the fact that that was the anniversary of the birthday of King George, and many people were out of town, there was better than seventy per cent. of the Rotary membership at the lunch.



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SAANICH WILL HAVE REDUCED TAX RATE

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The Saanich council finds itself in a position to reduce the tax rate this year, as the Times has already forecasted, and last evening adopted the estimates, and passed the necessary by-law fixing the rate, and also the expenditure by-law.

The rate will be six mills gross on land for the general rate, and 1.5 mills net on land for school purposes, or 6 1/2 mills net on all properties, the second rate applying to the Craigflower school district, as well as other parts of the municipality.

The clerk reported that his estimate of outstanding taxes on December 31 would be \$96,514.60. Fifty-five per cent of the rate of six mills (i.e. five mills net) on \$19,609,225, the 1915 general assessment, was estimated to produce \$53,925.60, which with other revenue (including tax deficits due) would give a general revenue of \$128,524.60, against an estimated expenditure of \$129,955.75. After allowing for the revenue from other resources, and the per capita grant, the sum of \$28,545.81 will be raised for school purposes by taxation.

AMBULANCE CLASSES

Interesting Report of Work Read at Meeting of Florence Nightingale Chapter.

At the Florence Nightingale chapter, I. O. D. E., meeting on Monday, Mrs. Hasell, the regent, in the chair, a full report of the ambulance classes was read by Mrs. Watson in the absence of Miss Munroe.

The ladies' ambulance classes were organized last February, and were held as follows: Dr. Hudson, on "First Aid," twenty-eight out of thirty-one passing at the subsequent examination, with a general average of 83.4; Dr. Houghton, on "First Aid," eighteen out of twenty-six taking the examination, and with the exception of two, passing, with a general average of 82.5; and Dr. Tomalin, on "Home Nursing," where twenty-two candidates passed the examination with a general average of 75.2. Dr. Hudson last evening delivered the last of a series of lectures on "Home Nursing," and next Monday evening examinations will be held. Classes are being formed in both first-aid and home-nursing and applications will be received by the secretary at the Temple building. Apropos of this both Mrs. Beckwith and Mrs. Wilkinson referred with appreciation to the splendid work of the secretary in connection with the ambulance classes.

Other business brought up at the meeting included the treasurer's report, showing a balance of \$203.75. Mrs. Morley's report of patriotic service committee was satisfactory, and Mrs. Loveland reported on a meeting of the Local Council of Women. Mrs.

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